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FRANCO WARNS FRANCE AND SOVIET AGAINST ARMS SMUGGLING "Vessels Will Be Destroyed"

MUTINOUS MILITIAMEN COMMANDEER TRAIN

Japanese Troops Sent To
Kaiting To Take Action

Tientsin, Yesterday.
About 400 mutinous Chinese militiamen invaded Chengli railway station in East Hopei to-day and forcibly boarded a train going to Tientsin from Shanhai-kwan. They disarmed the railway police and robbed the passengers. After travelling 100 miles they left the train near Tongshan and headed for the interior, kidnapping a Japanese police officer, another Japanese and six Chinese policemen. The captives, however, were released a few miles from the railway. When the train arrived at Tongshan Japanese troops took possession of it and went to Kaiting in pursuit of the mutineers. — Reuter.

LABOUR UNREST IN SHANGHAI

Rumoured General
Strike

ANTI-JAPANESE SENTIMENT
BEING STIRRED UP

Shanghai, Yesterday.
Despite the re-opening of the majority of the Japanese cotton mills labour unrest, aggravated by political elements, continues in Shanghai. The police and other authorities were kept alert throughout the night in consequence of a rumour of a general strike, involving 50,000 textile workers, to be called in the morning. The move did not materialise, but it is understood that the police are expecting trouble.

The so-called "National Salvation" groups are reported to be very active stirring up anti-Japanese sentiment among the workers. — Reuter.

METAL WORKERS ON STRIKE AT LILLE

Paris, Yesterday.—A general strike of all metallurgical workers in the city of Lille has been proclaimed by their trade union, which demands the introduction of a 40-hour week from December 1, as well as an immediate increase in wages proportionate to the rise in the cost of living. — Trans-Ocean Service.

WEATHER REPORT

The local forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory last evening, was: North-east winds, fresh, fine.

GEN. O'DUFFY SETS OUT FOR SPAIN

FRENCH APPROVAL OF BRITISH ATTITUDE DURATTI REPORTED KILLED

London, Yesterday.
According to an unconfirmed radio report from Teneriffe picked up at Lisbon, General Franco has followed up his threat of a blockade with a warning to France and Russia that all ships taking arms to Spain will be destroyed.

London: General O'Duffy, with 40 members of the "Irish Brigade," arrived at Liverpool to-day en route to Spain to join General Franco's forces. They will be joined by a contingent from Liverpool, from where they are sailing for Lisbon this afternoon. A large proportion of the men are said to have held high army ranks. — Reuter's Bulletin Service.

INTERNATIONAL ARMY IN SPAIN

Red Aeroplanes Of
Most Modern Type

INTERESTING REVELATIONS

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

London, Yesterday.
Interesting revelations concerning the supply of arms and munitions to the Spanish Reds, as well as about the formation of an "international army" behind the fighting line in Spain, are published by the *Daily Herald*, whose special correspondent writes that the supreme command of the international army is "in the hands of men with considerable experience of civil wars and revolutions in another part of Europe."

The correspondent affirms that he obtained his information from "a general with an international reputation," but whose name the correspondent is not at liberty to give.

The correspondent goes on to say that two brigades of 14,000 men each have already been sent to the front, and that a third brigade, which includes a French regiment, is now on its way, while a fourth is undergoing training. Twenty-three Englishmen are serving with the international army, according to the correspondent, who, however, refrains from giving

Paris: Mr. Anthony Eden's speech at Leamington yesterday concerning the British commitments made a favourable impression on public opinion here. It was already known, writes the semi-official *Petit Parisien*, that England was determined to support France and Belgium with all the means at her disposal in case of aggression, but it was good that the British Foreign Minister confirmed this once more in such clear-cut terms.

FOREIGN OFFICIALS EXECUTED

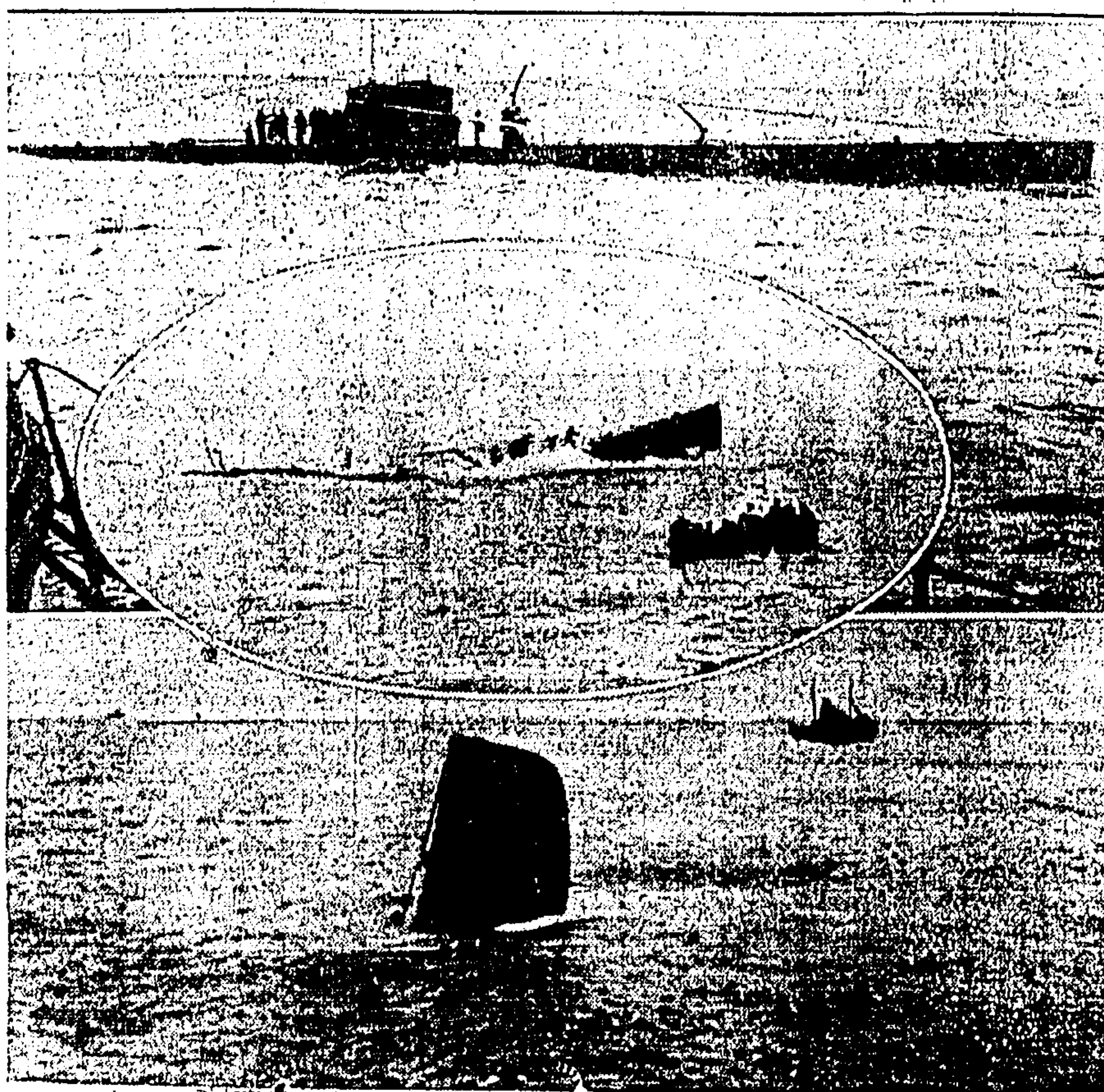
Bilbao, Yesterday.—It is officially announced that the Consul for Austria and Hungary, a Paraguayan official and an Italian military official have been executed after a Court Martial. — Reuter.

Regarding Spain, the British attitude is approved by the press in general, especially the demand for the establishment of a safety zone at Barcelona. In this connection the *Petit Parisien* states that the advantage of the numerous British warships being at present in Catalan waters is that they will be witnesses to the movements of suspicious craft, which will perhaps cool the ardour of the smugglers of war material and thus reduce the danger of international complications.

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details of the nationalities of the other soldiers.

The Red aeroplanes, says the correspondent, are of the most modern type, while they have had modern artillery, machine-guns and anti-aircraft guns. — Trans-Ocean Service.



This remarkable series of pictures, taken from the deck of the Spanish Rebel warship, *Valasco*, shows the doomed Loyalist submarine B-6 sinking in the Sea of Ferrol, off Northern Spain. At the top, the first shot has registered and the submarine is settling by the stern. In the inset seamen on the fast-sinking craft run to the bow. Below, with only a few feet of the submarine's prow visible, members of the crew are shown struggling in the water. These pictures are the most sensational to come out of war-stricken Spain since the beginning of the revolt.

SUPPLEMENTARY EXPENDITURE

\$442,700 MORE FOR
PENSIONS

EFFECTS OF FALL IN
EXCHANGE

After the Legislative Council meeting on Tuesday next His Excellency the Governor will present for the consideration of the Finance Committee of the Legislative Council the following items of supplementary expenditure:—

(1)—Imports and Exports Office: Purchase of Government Prepared Opium, \$33,700.

Prior to January 1936 payments for Hong Kong Government Opium manufactured in Singapore were made by book entries in the Singapore account of this Government. This account was closed on 31.12.35 by a payment to the Hong Kong Government of Straits \$89,853.54 and subsequent shipments of opium must be paid for in cash. The total bill for 1936 is estimated at \$33,700 for which no provision has been made in the current Estimates owing to the fact that the price of the new opium was not known until the first account was received early in September. A supplementary vote of this amount is therefore requested.

(2)—District Office, South: Incidental Expenses, \$50.

Provision made in Estimates (page 21 sub-head 3), \$100.

Fifty-six of the cadastral plans of the District are tattered and illegible, and new plans are urgently required. The cost of replacement amounts to \$50 for which no provision was made in 1936 Estimates. A supplementary vote for this sum is therefore requested.

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Dysentery Outbreak Statement Demanded Urban Council Questions

At next Tuesday's meeting of the Urban Council, Dr. Li Shu Fan, pursuant to notice, will ask:—

"Will the Chairman of the Urban Council kindly furnish replies to the following questions?—

- Has the source of the recent outbreak of dysentery been traced? If so, what and where was the origin?
- Which type of micro-organism was considered responsible for the infection? Has there been any systematic medical examination made of the dairy workers, with the view to detecting possible sources of infection, before and/or after the recent outbreak? If the answer is in the negative, what were the reasons, if any?
- Is the present sale and production of pasteurized milk under (a) licence (b) Government bacteriological control?
- Is there any safe bacteriological standard established by Government for (1) raw milk (2) pasteurized milk? If the answer to question v is in the negative, will Government take steps to provide for the bacteriological examination periodically of all milk on sale, with the view to controlling and safeguarding the public health?

NO NEW CASES OF DYSENTERY

The attention of Dr. Pope, Medical Officer of Health, has been drawn to four cases of dysentery at the Matilda Hospital. They are old cases, however, having been admitted on the 12th instant and are all progressing very satisfactorily.

Three cases of diphtheria and one of enteric fever were reported to the local Health authorities during the 24 hours ended on Friday. Later: Dr. Pope stated last night, in answer to an enquiry, that there had been no further developments to report.

STOP PRESS

Tientsin: The two Japanese captives mentioned earlier were not liberated. The mutineers have fled to the north, pursued by 300 Japanese troops. The mutineers belonged to the Militia Regiment of Yin Ju-keng's Epef Hopei autonomous Government, against which they revolted a few days ago. Yin Ju-keng's regime enjoys the protection of the Japanese. — Reuter.

Kentucky Murder Case

Newcastle, Kentucky, Yesterday.
Standing statue-like, surrounded by State troopers, Brigadier-General Henry Denhardt, a well-known and picturesque military figure and a Kentucky veteran of three wars, heard a Grand Jury commit him for trial on a charge of murdering his fiancée, Mrs. Verna Taylor.

Mrs. Taylor's body, with a revolver alleged to belong to Brigadier-General Denhardt lying close by, was found in a roadside ditch on November 6 some 600 yards from the General's car, in which they had been for a drive. Remarkable public hostility towards the General formed a climax to a demonstration in the courtroom, where muttered threats were uttered against him. The police took every precaution and searched every spectator in the courtroom for weapons. Judge Morgan ordered Brigadier-General Denhardt to be transferred to Louisville Prison, declaring that the local prison was "insecure" and that there was the danger that "Denhardt might be repayed by violence." — Reuter.

POISON-GAS CORPS SENT TO SUYUAN

Another Offensive
Expected

ARMS SMUGGLED TO
BANDIT FORCES

(From A Special Correspondent)

Canton, Yesterday.
Having lost two foreign planes and suffering defeat with heavy losses by the Chinese Government troops on Wednesday and Thursday at Hung-keh-tu, the Manchuria-Mongolian bandits held a military conference at Paklingmao yesterday, at which eight of their foreign advisers attended. It is learned that they have decided to launch another offensive in a couple of days and the bandit commanders Wang Ying, Li Shou-suen and Pau Yue-hing are to direct the front, left and right wings respectively.

Instead of coming from their base in Shangtu to invade the Eastern frontiers of Suyuan as in the previous fighting, they will change their direction so as to invade Wuchuen, Kuyang and Hotu in the north of the province. One more regiment of foreign troops, with 200 foreign military officials clad in bandit uniforms and a foreign poison-gas corps, have arrived at Paklingmao to reinforce the bandits.

ARMS SMUGGLING

It is reported that more modern weapons have been sent to the bandits through the Peiping-Suyuan Railway, packed as ordinary foreign goods.

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek has instructed General Sung Chih-vuan, Chairman of Hôpei-Chahar Political Council, to search the trains for traitors and armaments. (Continued on Page 20)

FLOOD TRAGEDY IN JAPAN

Hundreds Suffer A
Horrible Death

BURIED ALIVE IN MUD

Tokyo, Yesterday.
The latest figures in the Osarawaka disaster, when the banks of the reservoir on the copper mines property there in Akita Prefecture collapsed and washed away many of the miners' homes, are 210 killed and 592 missing, believed dead.

The education authorities estimate that at least 250 schoolchildren perished in the disaster.

Sludge from the reservoir has spread like a fan to a depth of from six to 20 feet and it is believed that the majority of those missing met a horrible death under the mud. Conservative figures show that over 1,500 persons were overwhelmed, of whom 700 had miraculous escapes scatheless. — Reuter.

U.S. TRADE IN CHINA BADLY HIT BY SHIPPING STRIKE MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY CRISIS

Shanghai, Yesterday.—American trade in China has been severely hit as a result of the shipping strike, which is causing enormous losses, both in immediate business and future delivery. An even more important factor, American business men point out, is that there is less goodwill owing to their inability to fulfil existing contracts or to undertake new orders. "Our trade is going to our rivals and we may not get it back," declared a prominent shipping official interviewed by Reuter.

Many important companies in Shanghai have sufficient stock to last several weeks, but after that they will have nothing to offer their customers unless the cargoes awaiting shipment in America are released very shortly. Dealers in foodstuffs depending on a rapid turnover in small shops are especially hard hit.

The motion picture industry faces a severe shortage of films, which, unless the strike is settled shortly, will cause several theatres to close. These have overhead expenses of thousands of dollars a day. — Reuter.

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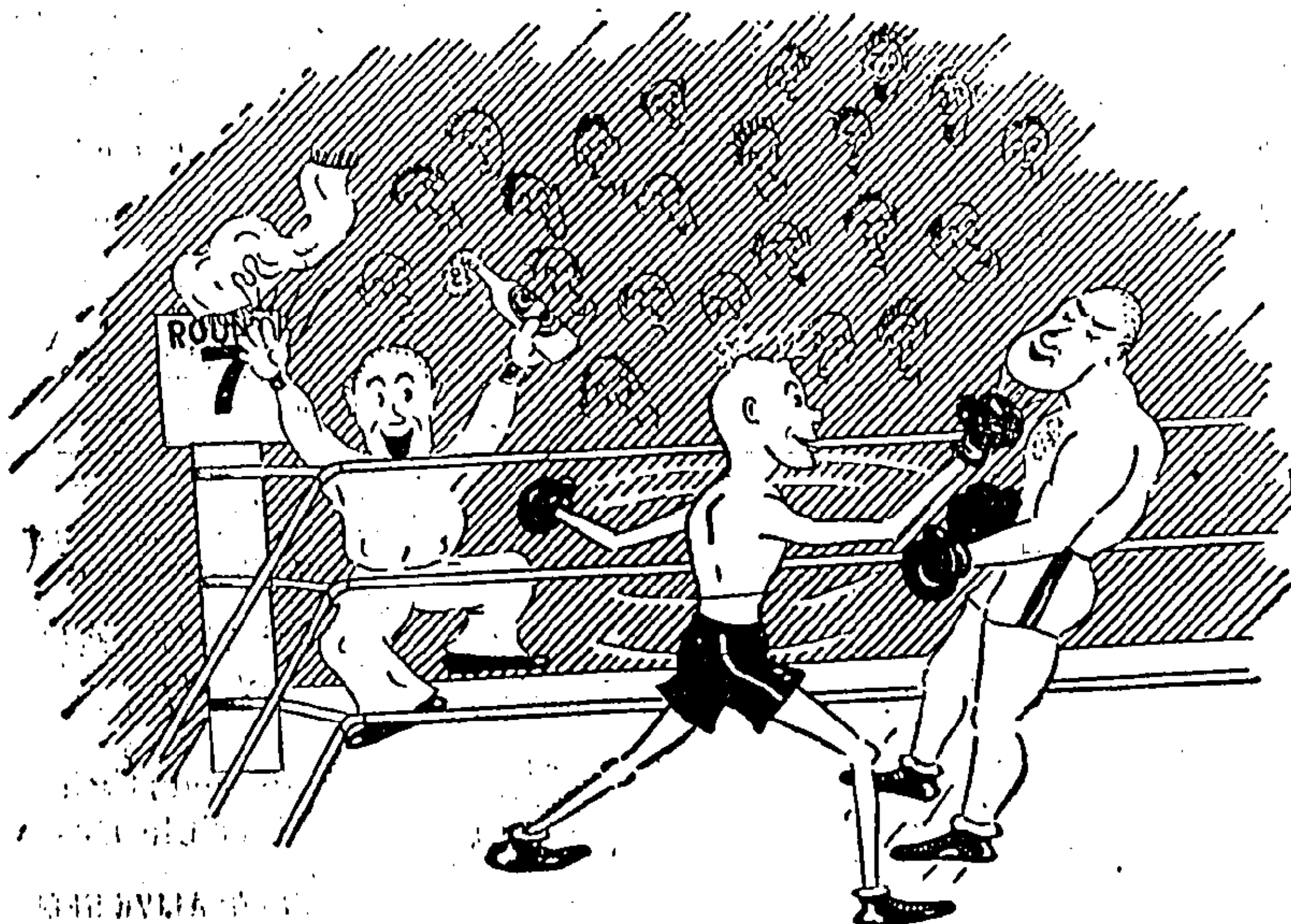
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IT was morosely quiet in the shadowy corner of the hotel veranda just outside the great Colonial banquet room—closed and darkened now, as if in horrified repudiation of the thing that had happened there so short a time ago.

Just across the broad city square in front of the hotel, the presses of the Herald-Courier were frenziedly pounding out an extra. The lighted windows of the newspaper building twinkled and faded, twinkled and faded through a rising fog. . . . Strange! Anthony Renwood thought. There hadn't been any fog when he had stood here 15 minutes ago.

Not that it mattered. There was the fog now.

The crowd which had hastily gathered outside the hotel grounds—for the historic George Washington House had "grounds"—drifted about with writhing inauspiciously, as did the officers who guarded the entrances, hurrying people along, trying to keep all except those with urgent business outside the barrier of ropes stretched along the sidewalks.

Renwood began to realise how fortunate he had been to slip in without challenge: for, after all, it was the thing he had done here a little while ago that had brought that gaping, sadistic crowd milling to the square. Yet the harassed young officer on guard at the walk by which Anthony had entered had turned indifferently away after one brief, incurious glance in his direction. However, it would have made little difference if they had tried to stop him. Coming back was a thing he had to do. There was something he had lost here.

Not that Anthony had felt any serious apprehension of being recognised. After all, he could have been no more than a shadow lurking there in the vines when Carlton Roper had stepped under the light of the exit on his way to the car the city had placed at the disposal of its distinguished guest.

Now that it was all over, Renwood found, strangely, that he felt no excitement or horror at this thing he had done—no fear. For the first time in feverish months he had achieved perfect detachment and quiet—or it would be perfect when he had found that thing he had lost.

FROM the top of the newspaper building across the square a radio had been giving out the mellow, subdued tones of organ music. Now the music broke off and an announcer boomed solemnly:

"We interrupt our regular broadcast, ladies and gentlemen, to bring you a special news bulletin. Carlton Roper, who was shot by an unknown assassin while leaving a dinner given in his honour at the George Washington House in this city, is reported at 11:30 to be sinking rapidly. Mr. Roper's candidacy for the governorship—"

Eleven-thirty! . . . Then, Anthony thought incredulously, instead of 15 minutes it must be at least an hour since he had stood here before. That was funny.

Although Anthony had never met Carlton Roper, never had taken the trouble to hear him speak—either in his recent campaign for the governorship or before, in his role of benevolent dictator of a great city—he had recognised him at once as he had stepped through the doorway to the veranda, genial, assured, between the anxiously perspiring mayor and an officer detailed by the city to guard the sacred person of its guest.

No one who read the newspapers could mistake that much-photographed mop of white hair and that smile.

Renwood's revolver had flashed in three almost simultaneous stabs of yellow light toward that white shirt front; three—but that was another strange thing. For the first time Anthony remembered now that there had been four reports. . . . Not so strange, probably. For after seeing Roper reel and fall, his face frozen in that famous smile he had just turned upon the mayor. Anthony had remembered literally nothing except what seemed an empty chasm in time and space until he had found himself in front of his own hotel, blocks away.

It was then that he had felt that irresistible urge to come back. There was something he had left here. In that moment of confusion, like the first awakening from a monstrous, incredible dream, he had given little thought to the thing he missed except to realise, with a feeling of having been somehow stripped, that it was gone, and that it must be here.

Now, from the milling shadows out in the square, a woman was

cried hysterically.

So there were those who could even cry for a man like Roper. But that, of course, was the danger of his kind. His appeal like that of all demagogues, was to the hysterical emotions of those who believed in his fabulous promises because they were mentally equipped to believe only what they chose to believe. And what they did not choose to believe was the truth—that once Carlton Roper had talked and smiled himself into the saddle, he would drop his much publicised concern for the down-trodden, and ride like a juggernaut over the state, trampling out the last remnants of personal liberty.

It had been so with everything Roper had touched. As trustee of this and director of that in the city he had ruled for years, he had swept everything into the reach of his personal power, until not an institution in the community could function normally and honestly, for fear of the grasping influence of the interests he controlled.

Anthony Renwood was no longer a glib, hysteric fool. He knew. Hadn't he had a good position, brilliant prospects—a home—before Carlton Roper's servile hired men had swept them all away with a few apologetic phrases about loyalty to the ideals of the community? It was remembering things like that, thinking around and around in circles, that made a man's head go tight, so that he had to act before something inside snapped.

There in the dark of the porch, he fumbled for a cigarette, but he remembered that he had just thrown a cigarette away because the smoke had been flat and tasteless to his palate. Besides, there was that thing he had come back to look for.

Someone was coming toward him, up the walk from the street. He felt, rather than saw, the nearness of the figure that stepped to the veranda immediately beside him; for the mist was swirling more thickly every minute, obliterating everything about him. Already, the nearest street lamps were evanescent moth-like blurs.

HE had barely time to wonder if they had recognised him, after all, and come to look for him—not that it mattered much—when a man's voice said pleasantly at his elbow:

"Sorry if I startled you. There was some confusion when I left this evening; and in the excitement I seem to have—left something behind."

After a startled silence Renwood asked, "You mean—on the porch?"

"Why—?" the man seemed momentarily at a loss—"why, yes; it might easily be here."

"Aren't the police watching the place any more?"

The man laughed softly. "Rather ironical, don't you think?" he said. "This violent activity of the law, when you consider that yesterday 20 inoffensive strikers were shot in our coal fields—and nothing done about it yet. . . . And all because one man has been shot! At a conservative estimate the entire state militia and several troops of marines must be outside there."

"Then how did you get in?" Anthony asked into the darkness. "That is—you did come in from the outside, didn't you?"

"Well, as it happened," the man said, "they didn't seem to be much concerned about whether I came in or not. I was rather surprised, myself. . . . For that matter, how did you get in, yourself?"

"In very much the same way. They just didn't seem interested." So rapidly had the fog been mounting about them that now they stood, two isolated beings, together yet apart, in a nebulous world of their own.

Suddenly he was glad of the presence beside him. For the first time in months of savage frustration, of sullen avoidance of his kind, he was aware of a great loneliness and longing for human comradeship. Because he liked his companion's resonant, friendly voice, he suddenly wanted to see his face.

"Smoke?" he asked. "That is—"

He added after a futile search of his pockets—"if you can furnish the light?"

"Sorry I can't," the man said. "My last smoke tasted so much for the night, no doubt. As the footstep came nearer, Anthony's companion called, 'Boy! Is that crowd inside beginning to thin out yet?'"

SHORT STORY

TWO IN A FOG

By ELINORE COWAN STONE

for a comfortable smoke—and a nightcap, perhaps."

When Anthony did not answer, the man beside him went on in his casual, friendly voice, "Strange thing—fog! I never noticed until to-night how it makes everything taste, and look, and smell, and even sound different. Like that radio, for instance."

FROM the radio across the street, very softly now, came the exquisitely blended voices of a large choir. That vaulting harmony must come, of course, from the radio across the street; but by some trick of the atmosphere, it seemed to proceed, now from this side, now from that; now from above, now from all round them.

"There's something about being in a fog," the man was going on hesitatingly, as if he were trying to explain something to himself, "like finding yourself in a different world, among an entirely new set of conditions—cut off from your own kind. . . . I don't like that feeling of being cut off. I'm a hopelessly gregarious soul, I guess. But it's like—"

"I know." Involuntarily Anthony spoke his own thought aloud. "As if you were lost somewhere in time and space—like a runaway electron, perhaps, wandering at random, without one chance in billions of knowing where it's going or whether it's ever going to get there."

"Exactly. Strange, our talking here this way, isn't it? I've never seen you so far as I know. I haven't even a notion who you are—my own stupidity, of course."

TO his own bewilderment, Anthony felt inordinately grateful. A great deal of water had passed under the mill since anyone so quietly assured of his place in the sun as this man obviously was, had expressed a liking for him. His own fault, of course. He had grown so surly under his writhing sense of defeat that his friends, one by one, had fallen away. In this schoolboyish glow of gratitude he could find no words.

"Resident of the city?" the man asked presently.

"Just here for the night," Anthony blurted.

"For the dinner, perhaps—like some of the rest of us?"

"Well—yes. In a way."

"Somehow," Anthony's companion said, "though you are not, I must confess, a very communicative young man, I get the impression that you are a student."

"I might as well," Anthony thought. "It can't matter now," and said aloud, "My name is Anthony Renwood. For two years I was assistant professor of political economy at Ramsay University. That was three years ago."

My resignation was accepted without protest. It seemed that my lectures were to inflammatory for a generation that must derive its bread and butter from a capitalist regime."

He wondered that the old bitterness was all gone, that it all seemed so far away.

"So?" said the man softly.

"And then?"

"Oh, then," said Anthony, "I peddled a pest exterminator from door to door, for a while. Last year I cleaned windows."

"Great, as an experience!" his companion said. "But hardly to be entertained as a career by an ambitious young man, of course."

Family? Forgive me. I have a reputation, I believe, for being a meddlesome old nuisance in the affairs of people I like."

"My wife," Anthony said, "died six months ago. She needed to go to Arizona. I couldn't manage it."

"I lost my wife two years ago," the man said. "I know that anything I can say will be stale and dry as ashes. But I—find myself feeling things very acutely to-night. Perhaps because to-night I have had an experience that has left me—not quite myself—something I don't in the least understand. For the first time in my life I am lonely—desperately, wretchedly lonely—as if all the despatches and heartbreaks in the world were pressing in on me, and yet I—"

He broke off as footsteps shuffled along the veranda near them. There came the sound of chairs being moved, and the squeak of awnings being raised. One of the hotel boys putting the house to bed for the night, no doubt. As the footstep came nearer, Anthony's companion called, "Boy! Is that crowd inside beginning to thin out yet?"

THERE was no reply. Instead, the boy, shuffled across the corner of the porch behind them and shoved a chair into place against the wall.

"Hi, boy!" the man called again. "Have those officers cleared out?"

Still without a sign of having heard, the boy reappeared then, so close in the darkness that the air stirred.

"Damn funny!" the man said with an uneasy laugh. "Deaf as a post, I suppose," and waited as if for reassurance.

When Anthony did not speak, he went on, "If you don't mind, we'll wait out here a few minutes longer to be sure we'll have a clear field. As a matter of fact, I'm supposed at this minute to be snugly tucked up in bed upstairs under the doctor's orders. I slipped out quietly for a walk and a breath of fresh air while the nurse's back was turned."

"In your pajamas?"

"Oh, no—that is—" the man broke off on a puzzled note, as if the idea had just occurred to him—"come to think of it, I don't recall dressing. I just remember slipping out while the nurse was at the telephone, and the doctor was talking to—"

Perhaps he felt Anthony's startled movement there in the darkness, for he went on, "Perhaps I should have told you—I'm the fellow someone took a shot at here awhile ago. I—" he hesitated, his voice abruptly flat with troubled bewilderment—"I didn't know there was anyone in the world who hated me like that, or had any reason to. Some poor devil down on his luck, I guess. If I'm to blame, I hope to God he'll be able to forgive me sometime."

Anthony fumbled in his own mind. "Is he—asking my forgiveness? But this thing is outside all reason! Doesn't he know—"

"You see," the man was going on in that flat, troubled voice, "the police shot, and their aim wasn't so bad as usual. I'm afraid he's in a bad way. Too bad—only a boy! I'll have that boy on my mind as long as I—"

Abruptly the music of the radio stopped, and the announcer's voice came faintly, almost muffled by the fog:

"We interrupt our broadcast again, radio audience, to bring you another news bulletin. It is with great sorrow that we must tell you that Mr. Roper died a few minutes ago in the hotel room to which he had been carried. We have just learned that his assassin was shot through the heart by police detailed to guard Mr. Roper, and died almost immediately. His body has just been carried to the morgue for identification. He is thought to have—"

The voice, which had been growing more and more indistinct, faded entirely.

Anthony wondered if the man beside him was feeling what he felt.

It wasn't fear exactly—the time for that was past now: a sense of wonder, rather, of awe, of setting forth on an adventure so new, so unpredictable that there was to guide them not east nor west; not up nor down; not chart nor compass. And a bleak, desolate dread of the setting forth—alone.

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Mrs. Li Shu-pul, above, graduated from the University of Shanghai in 1931, and is the only lady employed in the China, and South Sea Bank.

HIS Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, who went to Shanghai recently to sit in a Full Court of Appeal, returned to the Colony by the Empress of Canada on Thursday with Lady MacGregor, who also made the trip to Shanghai.

A very interesting visitor to the Colony at the moment is Mr. George Watt, formerly connected with the Revenue Department, and for many years in charge of the opium farm at Morrison Hill Road. Mr. Watt arrived last week with Mrs. Watt and they will be here, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Grant, until after the New Year.

THE many friends of Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell will be glad to learn that he is now fully recovered from his recent illness and that he will be returning to the Colony some time in February next. When he went away on holiday it was feared that his health would not permit of his return, but the stay in the Old Country has brought about the desired result.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Dovey and child returned to the Colony from Home leave on Armistice Day and went into residence at the Gloucester Hotel. It is understood that they will remain there until the end of the month, when they will go into a house of their own.

Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, M.C., A.M.I.E.E., M.Inst.T., the General Manager of the Hong Kong Tramways Ltd., is back in the Colony from Home leave, and is looking extremely fit and well.

It is understood that Miss Audrey Steele, who was to have taken the leading part in "Jack and The Beanstalk," which is to be presented at the Y.M.C.A. during the holidays, now finds that she cannot do so, and that the part has been assigned to Miss Kathleen Winch.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansen and Mrs. Selby are three visitors to the Colony from Melbourne, Australia. It is understood that they are staying with relatives on the Peak and that they will be here for some time.

LITTLE NOTES of Great Importance



We've been around a lot these last few weeks looking at clothes . . . but we've never seen a smarter group than the afternoon and streetwear frocks at our American shop — MAIZEES. Beautiful light crepes, velvets, light-weight wools in grand colours, and plenty in plain black too — just as Fashion dictates. There's something for you who love drama in daily life, something for you who like simple, casual smartness, and something for the daintily petite too. There are cocktail hats and hats for streetwear. And don't forget — there are gorgeous evening gowns in plenty. Indeed, you'll find all you might be wanting at MAIZEES.

You haven't think of Christmas and New Year without a radio in your home, — or if you do, the young ones are quite right in branding you as definitely a "past generation." If there's a 1937 Zenith in the home, however, you may be sure there won't be any hard words, any disappointments. The INTERNATIONAL RADIO SALES AND SERVICE, No. 27, Hankow Road, Kowloon, stocks a complete line of Zeniths, from the Standard Broadcast sets to the All Wave Automatic Radio-grams, all radios famous for their selectivity, sensitivity, and tone quality. And then servicing after purchase of a 1937 Zenith is guaranteed and done by qualified British technicians.



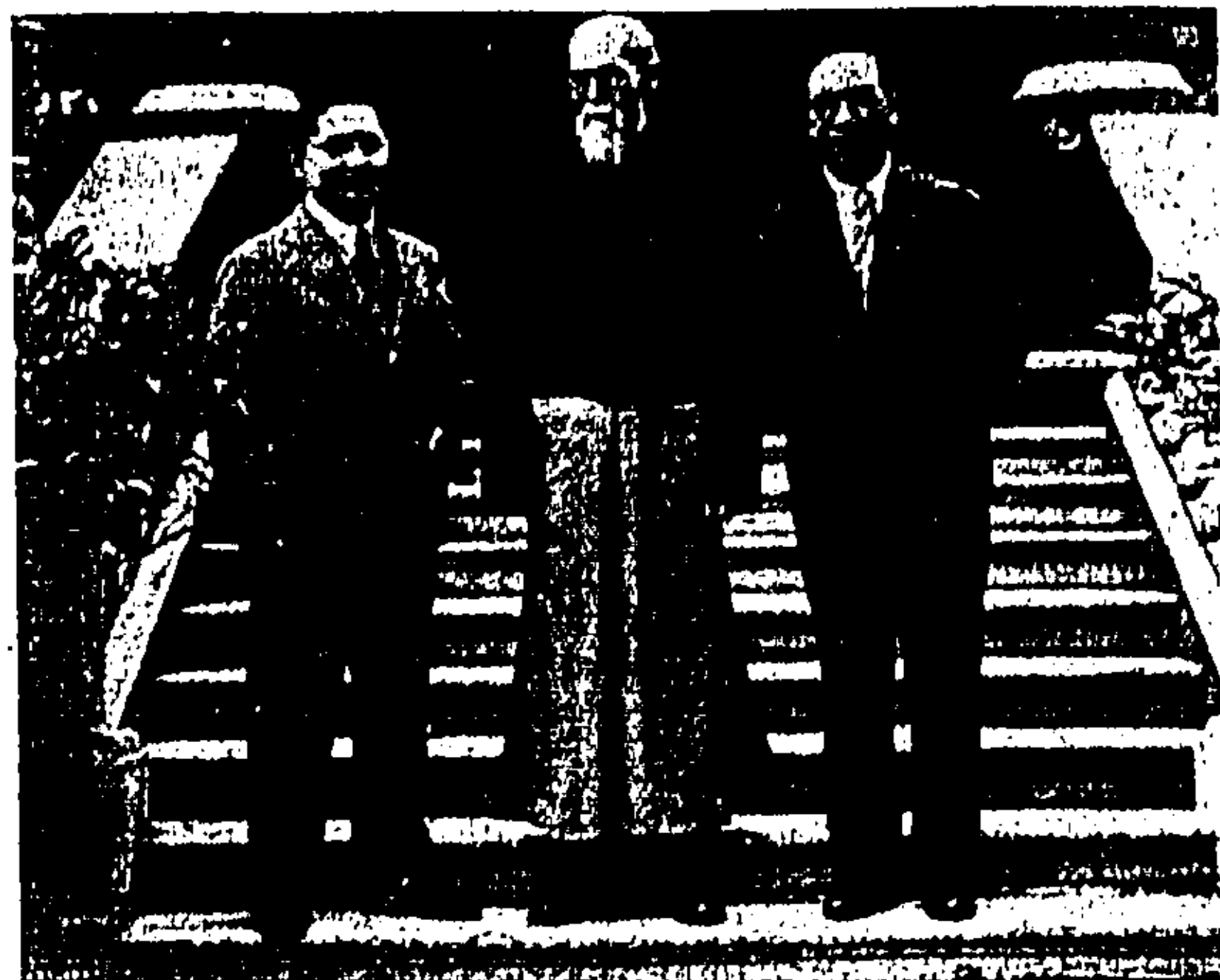
Up they go these new winter hats from Paris and Hollywood. If it isn't the crown shooting skyward, it's the brim or the trim — for the milliners are out for altitude. Some swear allegiance to off-the-face hats, others shoot the crown forward and up, scoops in the top, and whisk away the brim under trimmings. Some have wide brims dipping down at the back and in front. But no matter which you prefer MAYO'S SHOPPE have them all — and more! In all the fashionable shades. And don't forget, they also remodel your old hats.

We still claim that eating is one of the greatest ways to pleasantly pass the time we know . . . and it's just that much more pleasant if you have the EMA brand products . . . the Fruit butters, Jams, Jellies and Marmalades. The Fruit butters are an innovation! Pure, rich, retaining the individual flavour of fresh fruits, they are a real improvement on jams. Their being packed in attractive glass jars renders them entirely free from "metal flavour." And what a range of varieties — they'll suit the taste of Dickie, Tom, Mary and Dad. To name a few: Pear, Lemon, Apricot, Crab Apple, Fig, Pine-apple, Peach . . . They're all the rage — and no wonder!



This week I'm going to tell you about one of the most marvellous discoveries of our age — SARGOL. I shouldn't be surprised if you know all about it, but just in case you don't . . . SARGOL is a concentrated flesh food which builds up ill-developed men and women, the safest and most reliable treatment ever discovered by science! Indeed with SARGOL one does not need travel, tonics, change of scene. It puts on solid flesh, rounds out emaciated figures and brings a feeling of vigour and vitality to the whole system; more than that, it makes good rich blood. You'll find SARGOL at the GRAND DISPENSARY, of course, and all the information you want about it.

PERSONALIA.



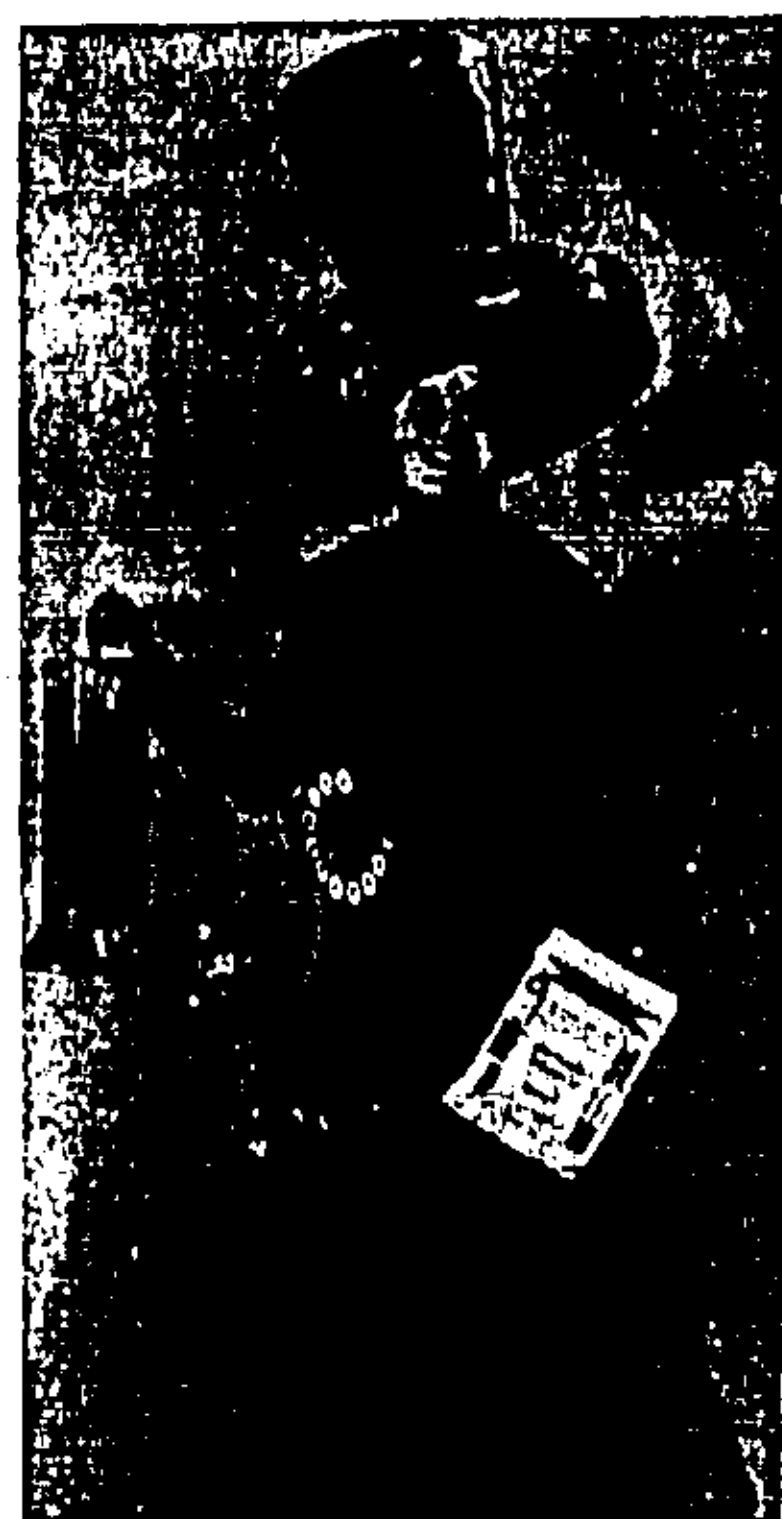
A photograph taken outside "Idlewild," Sir Robert Ho-tung's Seymour Road residence, on the occasion of the visit of Dr. Sun Fo. Left to right: Dr. Sun Fo, Sir Robert Ho-tung and Dr. Foo Ping-sheung.

H.K.S.R.A. Officers' Mess Hold Cocktail Party

A LARGE number of guests thoroughly enjoyed themselves at the excellent cocktail party given by the H.K.S.R.A. Officers' Mess at Gun Club Hill last Tuesday. A festive air was lent to the proceedings by the skirling of the bagpipes of the Indian Pipe Band which played throughout the evening.

Out of all the numerous pretty and smart frocks there, it is not easy to pick out which to describe. The fashionable tunic frock was much in evidence, also the two popular colours for this autumn, black and bottle green, particularly the former.

A very dashing bottle green outfit was the tunic frock worn by Mrs. Weldon, who always looks so smart. Her saucer-



This very original costume, the "Telephone Girl," deservedly won Miss Enid Bolton a prize at the Bal Masque held at the Gloucester Hotel recently in aid of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. (King's Studio).

shaped hat, of the same colour as her dress, balanced on the side of her head, was most intriguing and quite "the latest thing."

Of the many black dresses one of the most noticeable was Mrs. Read's. The long black cloak fastened with military-like frogs was very swagger, and the 18th century lace jabot at the neck lent a distinctly "cavalier" appearance to the whole outfit. It suited her tall handsome figure very well.

Mrs. Dowling was looking as charming as ever in a black silk frock with a very becoming little white upstanding frill round the neck. Mrs. P. H. Smith's tunic frock was very novel. Over a black satin skirt she wore a black net three-quarter length tunic open down the front and cut on rather flaring lines; the tunic was trimmed with cream lace from neck to hem. A small black hat with an eye veil completed the ensemble.

Mrs. Kirkby was looking well in an unusual shade of deep mauve, almost a plum colour; the short split sleeves being lined with a pale pinky mauve. Mauve is very pretty at night and a pale tone of that colour certainly suited Miss Peggy Murrow very

well. Her dress, which was of silk and cut on becoming lines with a full skirt and an off the shoulder bodice, was finished with a bouquet of violets at the neck; a small bunch of violets also nestled in her hair.

Mrs. Dalzell was wearing a brown striped dress with a matching cape, and a smart brown hat trimmed with a large velvet ruche in front. Mrs. Macdonald, who is a very recent arrival here, was also in brown; hers was a crepe frock with bishop sleeves, worn with a becoming hat of the same shade.

Mrs. Yates, who is also a newcomer, was in a biscuit-coloured suit with a small brown hat, and wearing a fox fur. Another biscuit shade was the dress worn by Mrs. Hampton, trimmed with a brown bow and belt.

Mrs. Burrows was there in white lace, with a lovely red flower decorating one shoulder, and wearing red shoes to match. Mrs. W. T. Stanton was in a long black frock, with a smart little evening toque.

A pretty tunic frock was worn by Mrs. Crookshank; over a black skirt she wore a white flowered voile tunic, flaring away from the waist line. Mrs. Ravenhill was in blue, a shimmering blue blouse over a darker blue skirt. Mrs. Currie's green frock was decorated with fine embroidery over the neck and



Isobel Margaret, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Durran, was exactly four years of age when the above photograph was taken. (D'Asis Studio).

shoulders and at the end of the long sleeves.

Among the many others were Mr. and Mrs. Clegg-Hill, the Misses Smalley, Major and Mrs. Grunc, Major and Mrs. Whitehead, Captain and Mrs. Rybot, Mr. Stafford Smith, Mr. Feilden, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Rees, Mrs. Hogg, Major and Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Walker.

Mrs. J. E. Moss and Miss E. C. Moss who arrived here from Yokohama about a week ago and stayed at the Gloucester Hotel have since left for Home. When speaking about their stay here, Mrs. Moss said that they found the cool weather here extremely delightful.

Mrs. Smith, wife of Mr. A. E. Smith, the agent for Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Company, Ltd., in Canton, is at present spending a short holiday in the Colony.



Mrs. J. H. Lock went as a dancer from Andalusia, to the Bal Masque. (King's Studio).

Mrs. Quon, wife of Mr. Lyman Quon, of the Catering Department, Canadian Pacific Railways, left for Montreal by the R.M.S. Empress of Canada for a three months' stay with her parents. She was accompanied by Mina, her little daughter, but, owing to pressure of business, Mr. Quon was not able to make the trip and is remaining in the Colony.

Mr. W. G. Griffin of the Cables Department of The Hong Kong Telephone Company, Ltd., has returned to the Colony from Home leave, looking extremely well after his trip. Just before this Mr. W. Clark, assistant manager of the company, also came back from his holiday. Mr. Clark is one of the keenest helpers at St. John's Cathedral.

It is learned that Mr. Q. A. A. Macfayden, the Kowloon Magistrate, will be proceeding on Home leave in the early months of the New Year. He will be away for the usual period of nine months and it is not yet known who will be taking his place on the Bench at Kowloon.



Miss Zoya Munos, in an old fashioned blue silk frock of the 18th century, was one of the prize-winners at the Bal Masque. (King's Studio).

DR. and Mrs. J. C. Smalley are due to arrive back in the Colony on December 10. They have been away on leave for some months and their many friends will no doubt be glad to hear that they are returning here in view of the many rumours to the effect that Dr. Smalley had retired from the Service.

A farewell cocktail party was given last week by Major and Mrs. G. Beale-Browne at their home at No. 67, Waterloo Road to Lt.-Col. Whitaker and the Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Davies, who sailed for England by the Troopship Dilwara. The 70 guests included Brigadier and Mrs. Seth-Smith, Col. and Mrs. Morris, Miss Valerie Morris, Lt.-Col. Whitaker, Lt.-Col. Reid, Major Davies, Major Morrison, Major and Mrs. Smyth, Capt. and Mrs. Walsh, Miss Walsh, Mr. L. Mills, Lt.-Lieut. Wallace, Mr. Li Chor Chi, Lt.-Commander Kendall, Capt. and Mrs. Davies, Capt. and Mrs. Crookshank, Capt. and Mrs. Stevens and Major and Mrs. Richards.

Mr. Emil Essig, who is connected with Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the well-known firm of brokers, has arrived in the Colony and is staying at the Gloucester Hotel. He will, it is understood, remain in the Colony for about a month.

The many friends of Mrs. D. White will be glad to learn that her young son, Arthur, who was very seriously ill recently, is making such rapid progress that he is expected to be able to leave hospital very soon. He was down with peritonitis.



A recent study of Mrs. Williams, wife of Mr. T. B. Williams of the Standard Vacuum Oil Company. (D'Asis Studio).

MR. and Mrs. A. N. Braude have returned from their honeymoon trip to Hangchow, and are very enthusiastic about the place, which they say is an ideal holiday resort. Mr. Braude expressed surprise that more people do not go there for their holidays.

It is learned that Mr. H. M. Kew, who is in the share business, will be making a business trip to Manila in the near future. He will be away for about a week.

Dr. (Miss) Parrin Rutledge, of the Government Medical Department, one of the keenest workers in the Nursing Division of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, is now occupied in coaching four of the members of her division for the Annual Shield examination to be held shortly.

LITTLE NOTES of Great Importance



New hats . . . models that are pictures . . . the very height of fashion, new frocks in every size and shade, lovely sportswear, the smartest of suits . . . these and a lot more besides are all to be found in PAUL RENNET'S, that haunt of the discriminating woman — the woman who will be smart! And there's plenty there too for the woman who watches her purse. What's more, they have shoes and stockings and the lovely Jaeger underwear. Truth to tell, when I go into PAUL RENNET'S, I never want to come out . . . it's such a joy just to look and look. The only trouble is, one finds one's self wanting too much.

Have you ever seen Junior pick up some morsel and pop it into his mouth before you have a chance to do anything? And have you ever felt hopelessly afraid, wondering whether anything was going to happen? Well no need to feel hopelessly . . . give him WATSON'S WORM BONBONS and be sure. They are a sure preventive of the troublesome complaint of worms. And if you ever find Junior irritable, listless, suffering from indigestion, nausea, feverishness, you have every reason to suspect worms — give him the WORM BONBONS, a certain and effective remedy and so pleasant to take. . . And then give them to him periodically as a tonic. Only 8 cents a bonbon.



News from LANE, CRAWFORD'S this week! I scarcely know where to begin. Those two lovely tables — packed with feminine delight — not only on top, but piled high beneath too! Every possible little trick and fancy to catch a lady's notice! Beautiful Travel Sets in lovely soft leather cases, decorative boxes of hankies, the most lovely manicure sets imaginable — the ideal gift, and beautiful brush and comb sets, fancy Bridge Scorers, Shopping Lists in pictured leather jackets, little wallets, lavender bags, pine racks, tiny vases for a single bud, beautifully covered hangers . . . and I could go on and on all day.

"Bobs Yr. Uncle" — ever heard of that? It's a delightful children's game — one they'll enjoy tremendously over Christmas! And you'll find it at BREWERS BOOKSHOP together with a lot of other card games, old and new. There's one exciting new one you'll all want to have — a card game called "Kargo." There are new sets of the "Lexico" game, games of skill, excitement and interest, and new Bridge cards. And then, have you seen their most intricate and delightful models of the S.S. "Queen Mary"? You'll want to tinker with one of them — you'll find plenty to do with it. And when you're looking for gifts remember you'll find lovely boxes of stationery there.



If you haven't yet visited the JADE TREE on your round of Christmas shopping, don't put it off a moment longer! Whether you're thinking of mother, sister or wife, you couldn't do better than inspect the wonderful range of gifts at the JADE TREE. They are original, beautifully different, and they carry with them all the charm of the Far East. There are lovely glass table decorations of various shades, there is specially designed costume jewellery, specially designed underwear, rich and luxurious, that would delight any woman, decorative Mandarin coats, and kimonoes, Chinese rugs . . . and a hundred other lovely things to choose from.

SENIOR SHIELD GAME ABANDONED 12 MINUTES AFTER INTERVAL

SEQUEL TO PENALTY AWARD

REFEREE'S RETICENCE REGARDING DECISION

SYD STRANGE PLAYS WELL

"Bewildering" is the only appropriate description that can be given to the abrupt termination of the Senior Shield match between the Club and Kowloon Chinese at the Valley, yesterday — the game being abandoned at the second-half only 12 minutes old!

Mystified spectators thronged the playing pitch and terraces, wondering what had contrived to bring about such a sensational and premature ending to the match, while the officials and players of both teams filed off to the dressing rooms!

The source of all the bother was a penalty award against the Chinese team which the latter took strong objection to — to the extent of indicating their intention of leaving the field, as a protest against what they considered, the unfairness of the award.

Briefly, the events that led up to the referee's decision to abandon the match can be tabulated thus. Twelve minutes after the resumption, at which stage in the game, the Chinese team were holding a narrow lead of 2 goals to 1. Duncan, the Club left-half swung in a ball towards the waiting Elliot, who was nicely positioned in front of the Chinese goal, but a quick interception by a Chinese defender deflected the ball for a "corner." While the defenders were taking up positions to cover their goal and the Club winger was preparing to take the "flag kick," everyone was surprised to see the referee waving the Chinese players from the vicinity of the goalmouth and indicating the "spot."

What infringement had invoked such a drastic penalty was not at all apparent and, recovering from their surprise, Kowloon Chinese immediately protested against the award. The Chinese players continued vigorously to voice their disapproval and their refusal to continue the match under the circumstances, left the referee with no alternative but to order the abandonment of the fixture.

On being approached as he was leaving the ground, the official was non-committal and would make no statement as to what had occurred, or give any reason why the penalty-kick had been awarded, consequently, everyone, players and spectators included, were quite "in the air" as to just what had exactly happened.

Prior to this unexpected trend of events, football of a bright and interesting nature had been witnessed, most of which had come from the Chinese team, who were immeasurably a more polished and

stylish eleven than their opponents. The Club, with several of their regular stalwarts absent through sickness, notably Forrow, their centre-half, who is suffering from malaria, were forced to make several positional changes, with the introduction of new players, a factor that probably accounted for the raggedness of their methods. The only department to produce anything like normal form was the defence, with Rodger, Hill and Strange (S), all of whom played well, indeed, it was Strange's best game for many weeks!

The Chinese played fast, open football, the attack executing some splendid movements. Tang Kwong Sum and Chow Man Chi, were the outstanding figures, with Tsui Ah Fai shining in midfield. Seven minutes from the kick-off the Kowloon Chinese took the lead when Lau Chun San accepted a forward pass from Tsui Ah Fai to run through and beat Rodger with a low shot. Their success was short-lived, as a minute later 'Ernie' Strange levelled the scores by netting a free kick from just outside the penalty area. In the second half the Chinese increased their score through Wong Wing-hon, after eight minutes, play, the 'leader' accepting a left-wing centre to register with a powerful ground shot.

Club:—Rodger, S. Strange, Hill, Nicholls, E. Strange, G. Duncan; Fowler, Wilson, Elliot, Fleming and Blackford.
Kowloon Chinese:—Shu Dan-lim; Mak Sui-hon, Ho Chor-yin; Lai Kwok-chui, Tsui Ah-fai, Chan Hong-kong; Tang Kwong-sum, Lau Chung-sang; Wong Wing-hon, Chow Man-chi and Fung King-ye.

Athletic Fail To Last Extra Period

Tense excitement prevailed at Caroline Hill yesterday, when South China "B" and the Chinese Athletic clashed in the Senior

Yesterday's Results At A Glance

SENIOR SHIELD FIRST ROUND		
*K. CHINESE	2 CLUB	1
KOWLOON	1 RIFLES	3
ATHLETIC	1 S. CHINA "B"	3
JUNIOR SHIELD FIRST ROUND		
C. POLICE "A"	5 CLUB	1
ATHLETIC	1 ENGINEERS	4
JUNIOR SHIELD SECOND ROUND		
FUSILIERS	7 E. POLICE	0
LEAGUE—SECOND DIVISION		
*K. CHINESE	0 S. CHINA	3

* Game abandoned.

Shield competition. As anticipated, the South China team eliminated their opponents by 3 goals to 1, but in no way did they deserve such a decisive victory, for the Athletic surprised their supporters by monopolising the major portion of the play. At the final whistle each team had scored one goal and extra time had to decide the issue. A complete relaxation on the part of Chinese Athletic lost them the game, for South China maintained their steady pace and were ever on the alert for possible chances.

The first thrill came when South China "B" made a sensational breakaway and Cheuk Shek-kam manoeuvred the ball up to Chan Tak-fai, the latter scoring a clever goal after four minutes' play.

With a few minutes, however, Lee Hung-chui responded with a good shot to equalise.

During extra time, Athletic only had one really good rally, but after this they were very disappointing as they lacked enthusiasm. South China then found little difficulty in penetrating twice in quick succession, Yeuk Hon-woo scoring the first goal and Cheuk Shek-kam increasing the lead.

South China "B":—Wong Wah-guy; Leung Yin-chen, Chung Chi-yin; Lau Tin-san, Lam Tak-po, Henry Yeung; Yeung Shul-yek, Chan Tak-fai, Cheuk Shek-kam, Lee Shek-yau.
Chinese Athletic:—Tam Kwan-kon; Lo Wai-man, Wong Sik-ping; Cheung Ying-kuen, Ng Tak-wing, Lo Wai-kuen; Lai Wah-dai, Chin Chi-fun, Lee Hung-ching, Lee Tak-kee, Cheung Moon-wing.

Rifles Show Improved Form Against Kowloon

A forward line which lacked both combination and shooting prowess thoroughly unbalanced the Kowloon eleven when they bowed to the Rifles by 3 goals to 1 at Kowloon.

The soldiers' belief in the value of an early goal quickly made itself apparent, Ferguson seizing on a pass from Campbell to send in a header which Minhinnett was unable to hold, Ferguson catching the rebound to place the ball in the back of the net.

A movement by Bliss gave Blake the opportunity to secure the equaliser, Honnibal drawing the soldiers' defence to allow him to net into an open goal. A purposeful offensive by the soldiers resulted in a penalty being awarded for some reckless play in the goal area. Erwin, however, failed to convert the resulting kick! Ferguson, however, sent them ahead and the Rifles recorded their third goal just before the interval, a splendid pass from Brown leaving McGonigal little difficulty in netting.

Rifles:—Connor, Pickering, Stevens; McGonigal, Moore, Millar; Erwin, Campbell, Ferguson, Docherty, Brown.
Kowloon:—Minhinnett; Everest, Bowen; G. White, Bliss, O'Connor; Eastman, V. White, D. Knox, Blake, Honnibal.

Junior Shield CLUB FAIL AGAINST CHINESE POLICE

The Chinese Police "A" experienced little difficulty in securing entry into the Second Round of the Junior Shield competition when they defeated a very poor Club eleven by 5 goals to 1 at Kowloon yesterday.

Chan Wing Kan opened the scoring for the Police within the first few moments of the game, catching the rebound from a save by Fogwell to net with a powerful shot. The second goal fell to Yip Lai Yee, while Waikden secured the Club's only reply. Continued raids by the Chinese front line eventually produced the third goal, Leong Kong Lam netting.

The fourth and fifth goals fell to the latter half of the game. Chinese Police "A":—Au Wing; Li Ching-wing, Chan Kwong-yui; Wong Sun, Wan Tao-ik, Chan Chiu, Mau-wai, Leong Kong-lam, Yip Lai-yee, Chan Wing-kan, Kong Hing.

CHAMPIONS LOSE IN CAER CLARK CUP

Mrs. Donald's Debut For H.K. Ladies

SCORES TWO OF THREE GOALS

Fielding a new centre-forward in Mrs. Donald, who scored two of their three goals, the Hong Kong Ladies secured their third win in the Caer Clark Cup League yesterday when they beat the holders, the Central British Association Ladies, by three clear goals after leading by a goal at the interval.

The game was very scrappy and the score by no means gives a true indication of the run of the play, the losers missing two open goals. The outstanding feature of the encounter was the appearance of Mrs. Donald, a newcomer to the Colony, who made an admirable leader for the H. K. Ladies. She distributed the ball in fine style to both wings, although there were times when she was rather cramped.

Club:—Fogwell; Wilson, Bultman; Shaw, Milne, Millington; Himsworth, Bell, Waikden, Fowler, Sloan.

Engineers Give Fine Display

The Engineers' chances of retaining possession, of the Junior Shield look rosy if their performance at Caroline Hill yesterday throws any light on the matter. Here they met the Chinese Athletic and found little difficulty in winning by 4 goals to 1.

The Engineers were soon off the mark and opened the scoring through Brown. The Athletic, however, responded in fine style and their equaliser came soon afterwards from Kwok Ying-kee.

Still on the offensive, the Sappers were soon in the lead again when Darby followed up a centre from Creagh and sent the ball over the line.

The Athletic lost heart after the resumption and Callard increased their lead from another of Creagh's centres, and Lee Kwok-ki fisted the ball into his own goal to complete the scoring.

Engineers:—Selleck; Revell, Coleman; Wilford, Hurst, Darrell; Callard, Brown, Darby, Howlett and Creagh.

Chinese Athletic:—Lee Kwok-ki; Ching Ying-chung, Fook Yoo-wai; Man Sun-ki, Yip Ki-wing; Yip Ki-cho, Wong Sul-ka, Hui Yu-kwong, Loo Hon-san, Kwok Ying-ki and Tai Fook-tim.

Fusiliers Run Riot

The European Police were trounced by the Fusiliers on the Prince Edward Road ground to the tune of seven clear goals.

The Fusiliers, playing a decidedly higher grade of football, were largely indebted to Bumster and Grindley for their big success, while Keneghan, now fully recovered from last year's injury, played in the inside-right position and gave a display that suggested an early return to the Senior Division.

Before half-time Grindley and Bumster (2) had scored, while further goals were added by Bumster (2), Jones and Grindley. Fusiliers:—Saunders; Vale and Gaisley; Morgan, Cresty and Jones; Davis, Keneghan, Grindley, Bumster and Jones.

European Police:—Wheeler; Michie and Wearer; Campbell, Willis and Torrett; Rose, Hutchinson, Willerton, Jessop and Whitley.

Second Division SOUTH CHINA TOO GOOD FOR KOWLOON CHINESE

On the Club ground, South China gathered full points from their Second Division encounter with Kowloon Chinese, obtaining a clear-cut victory by three goals to nil.

Quick-footed raiding brought South China two goals in the first period, La Ping Leung and Wong King Choi giving them an interval lead of two goals. More in the limelight after the interval, the Kowloon side battled gamely, but the only score during this period was a further goal for South China, Wong Kam Woon being the successful marksman.

K.C.C. TENNIS TOURNAMENT

A mixed doubles lawn tennis American tournament will be held at the Kowloon Cricket Club this afternoon, commencing at 2.30 p.m.

RESULTS AT A GLANCE

CAER CLARK CUP		
"Y" Ladies	2 Recreio Ladies	0
H.K. Ladies	3 C.B.A. Ladies	0
BROWN CUP		
C.B.S. "A"	4 D.G.S.	0
Rifles' Ladies	8 C.B.A. Ladies	0
"Y" Ladies	1 H.K. Ladies	1

Tables To Date

CAER CLARK CUP LEAGUE										
H.K. Ladies	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts			
"Y" Ladies	3	3	0	0	0	0	6			
C.B.A. Ladies	2	1	0	1	3	1	3			
St. Andrew's Ladies	2	0	1	1	1	3	1			
Recreio Ladies	3	0	3	0	0	5	0			

BROWN CUP LEAGUE										
C.B.S. "A"	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts			
Rifles' Ladies	3	3	0	0	16	1	6			
H.K. Ladies	3	1	1	0	12	3	4			
C.B.S. "B"	2	1	1	0	3	1	2			
D. G. S.	2	1	1	0	3	4	2			
Fusiliers Ladies	2	1	1	0	3	2	2			
"Y" Ladies	3	0	2	1	2	8	1			
C.B.A. Ladies	2	0	2	0	11	0				

Totals ... 12 5 5 2 12 12 12
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Miss I. Woolley Missed

Miss P. Woolley and Miss P. Whitley were good in the losers' defence, which missed Miss Irla Woolley very badly at right-half. Miss Buchanan lacked sting in her clearances and was not at all conversant with the off-side trap, otherwise the H. K. Ladies might have had to share the spoils instead of reaping a full reward.

Miss O. Peters was very good in the centre-half berth, although there were times when she might have looked where she was passing instead of resorting to indiscriminate hitting in order to rid herself of the ball.

Mrs. Burton was the pick of a hard-working attack, although Miss Best came in for her share of the limelight with several very good solo attempts to break through and score, one of which reached the H. K. Ladies' goal-area only to see Mr. Lungson use her pads to bring off a good save. Miss Blackmore was never in position and was unable to curb her impetuosity.

Miss Grey and Miss Smalley were very good in defence, the latter's coolness under pressure saving the situation time and again.

Tower Of Strength

Miss Pope was a tower of strength as centre-half and received very good support from Miss J. Dalziel, on her right-flank, Miss Glover being uncertain and a trifle slow in her clearances.

Mrs. Donald and Mrs. Prophet combined well in the attack, while Miss Ferguson was the pick of the two wingers.

Mrs. Donald scored for the H. K. Ladies in the first-half and added her second goal in the latter period, Mrs. Prophet placing the issue beyond doubt with a third goal before the end.

H.K. Ladies:—Mrs. J. Lunson; Miss E. M. Gray and Miss J. Smalley; Miss J. Dalziel, Miss E. Pope and Miss K. Glover; Mrs. P. M. Harrop, Miss X. F. Marsh, Mrs. Donald, Mrs. Prophet and Miss Ferguson.

C.B.A. Ladies:—Miss N. Adam; Miss P. Woolley and Miss P. Whitley; Miss I. Buchanan, Miss O. Peters and Miss J. Lephart; Miss S. Best, Miss R. Blackmore, Mrs. Burton, Miss B. Bone and Miss D. Hunt.

"Y" Too Good For Recreio

The "Y" Ladies were seen at their best when they defeated Recreio Ladies by two clear goals on the Police Training School ground yesterday afternoon.

The "Y" Ladies were much faster than their opponents and this factor combined with the excellent passing of their forwards, especially that of Miss O. Dalziel, on the right-wing, Miss S. Dalziel, at inside-right, and Mrs. M. Read, their leader, were largely responsible for their victory. Mrs. Starbuck rendered a good account of herself in the pivot position, while Miss A. Fowler, at right-back, was conspicuous with powerful clearances.

Recreio Ladies offered a bold front — Miss Z. Barros, their custodian, made some very good saves, while their backs, Miss O. Botelho and Miss C. Osmund, played an intelligent defensive game. During the second half the "Y" were awarded a series of short corners, which they could not take advantage of owing to the alertness and brilliant display put up by these three players.

The winners scored both their

goals through Mrs. Read during the first half.

"Y" Ladies:—Miss W. George; Mrs. R. Burke and Miss A. Fowler; Miss K. Tongue, Mrs. Starbuck and Miss E. Thompson; Miss O. Dalziel, Miss S. Dalziel, Mrs. M. Read, Miss M. Smith and Miss M. Westcott.
Recreio Ladies:—Miss Z. Barros; Miss O. Botelho and Miss C. Osmund; Mrs. L. Silva, Miss P. Xavier and Miss M. Alves; Miss N. Goncalves, Miss A. Alves, Miss C. Silva, Miss M. Roza and Miss M. P. Roza.



Brawn Cup

MISS HAMON SCORES FIVE GOALS FOR RIFLES' LADIES

The Rifles' Ladies easily accounted for the Central British Ladies in their League Hockey encounter at King's Park yesterday, winning by eight clear goals after leading at the interval by six goals.

Mrs. Campbell, the Rifles' right inside, was the hardest worker on the field, being conspicuous in several good movements and Miss E. Hamon, at centre forward, shot every time she had an opportunity and as a result scored five goals for her side.

The Rifles' defence did not have much to do as the intermediate line were able to cope with the very few attacks made by the Central British Ladies.

Miss McAlpine had a hard afternoon against Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Stewart, while in the centre Miss D. Wicheell found Miss E. Hamon very elusive. Miss P. Macfadyen brought off some fine saves, but was very uncertain in her kicking.

The Rifles' Ladies scored six goals in the first half through Miss E. Hamon (5), and Mrs. Campbell, and after the interval Mrs. Elwood and Mrs. Nerlin added to their score.

Rifles Ladies:—Mrs. Osborne; Mrs. D. Hamon and Mrs. Ratchiff; Miss D. Hamon, Mrs. Hole and Mrs. Haydon; Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Campbell, Miss E. Hamon, Mrs. Elwood and Mrs. McNeilan.
C.B.A. Ladies:—Miss P. Macfadyen; Miss E. Clewer, Miss P. Seaps; Miss M. McAlpine, Miss D. Wicheell, Miss J. Luckin; Miss A. Smith, Mrs. D. Stoker, Miss G. McNeilan, Miss K. Winch, Miss N. Kempton.

C.B.S. "A" Beat D.G.S.

The Central British School "A" easily defeated the Diocesan Girls' School by four clear goals.

The Central British were much faster on the ball and were better in their positioning. The forwards combined well and Miss A. Martin, the centre-forward, led the line well, being ably supported by Miss M. Booker and Miss D. McCaw.

The Diocesan Schoolgirls played pluckily, but were weak in their clearances. Miss H. Bockler was their most aggressive forward, but she was badly supported.

The Central British scored in the first half through Miss A. Martin, Miss M. Baxter and Miss M. Booker, while in the second half Miss A. Martin scored again.

C.B.S. "A":—Miss M. Wincott; Miss M. Fraser and Miss H. Martin; Miss C. Bone, Miss M. McGee, and Miss J. Bockler; Miss J. Parkinson, Miss M. Booker, Miss A. Martin, Miss D. McCaw and Miss P. Baxter.
D.G.S.:—Miss J. Hall; Miss E. Chang and Miss D. Turner; Miss H. May, Miss P. Dodd, and Miss M. Lawson; Miss B. Fitzgerald, Miss S. Robert, Miss H. Bockler, Miss M. Churn and Miss E. Churn.

Division Of Spoils

The "Y" Ladies did well to share two goals and the points with Hong Kong Ladies on the Club ground.

The Hong Kong Ladies' forward line played well, the left-wing combine of Mrs. Weir and Miss Flex being the dangerous wing, though the other wing, Mrs. R. R. Davies and Mrs. J. Davis, were also seen in several good movements.

The "Y" Ladies were best served by Miss V. Bradbury and Miss Lakeman; while in the defence Miss Fowler and Mrs. Barnes were good.

The "Y" Ladies scored first through Miss V. Bradbury, but before the interval Miss Flex equalised with a hard shot. The second half was goalless.

H.K. Ladies:—Mrs. Baskett; Miss G. Swan and Miss M. Sleapi; Miss P. Forrester, Miss R. Smalley and Miss I. Bell; Mrs. R. R. Davies, Mrs. J. Davis, Mrs. J. Locke, Mrs. M. Weir and Miss J. Flex.

"Y" Ladies:—Miss J. Weller; Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Slater; Mrs. McLean, Miss F. Fowler, Mrs. Kemp; Miss I. Murray, Miss B. Bloom, Miss V. Bradbury, Miss J. Lakeman and Miss J. Stryk.

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LOCAL COURTS SURPRISE FAMOUS ACES

"There is every possibility of Vines and I returning to the Far East next year providing sufficient inducement is forthcoming, and I have already conferred with the various officials of the Lawn Tennis bodies wherever we have touched at and am confident that something will materialise," stated W.T. "Big Bill" Tilden in an exclusive interview with the *Sunday Herald* yesterday morning.

"As you already probably know, we intend bringing out another two first ranking professional tennis players, but who they are we have not the foggiest idea as yet. It was my intention to try and get Henri Cochet to tour with us, and a Japanese "unknown" to make up the fourth party, but I now see that Cochet has been given a position in the French Ministry, which makes it difficult for us to secure his services.

"We will, however, get another player, probably an American or European, and, providing that we are given the right amount of support, should make the trip.

Trip Discussed With L.T.A.

"In my discussions with members of the Lawn Tennis Association of Japan, Shanghai Manila and your own local officials, I have outlined a plan whereby Vines and I, accompanied by two other players, will play either exhibitions among ourselves, or if the cities we visit have their own professional championships of the respective cities in a "Round-Robin Tournament." The latter is quite simple and the semi-finalists play each other once, and the player who secures the most sets, wins the tournament. But if there should be a draw, then the tournament will be decided on the best average on wins and defeats.

Incorrect Statement

"The statement by the Manila newspapers to the effect that a world professional championship would be held there next year was not correct. I stated that we intended holding a professional tournament which would be run in conjunction with the Philippine professional championships, if such existed.

"Outdoors, in Manila, we played on a clay court, if you can call it that, and in the Rizal Memorial Stadium the covered court was very hot. They had overhead electric fans installed, but they were ineffective against the broiling heat from outside. I believe that a system of air-conditioning is about to be installed and this will do much to improve the prevailing conditions.

Via India

"A report about our visiting Malaya next season takes me by surprise. So many messages of a similar nature have been given all over the world that I would like to get to the bottom of the matter and discover the source of information. Of course, if the people of Java and Malaya want us, and if sufficient financial guarantee is forthcoming, we would definitely visit these countries and probably go home via Suez, visiting India and other countries.

Asked about the standard of umpiring in the Colony, Tilden replied, "Well, that's a very difficult subject to talk about. Some of the decisions in previous matches were very poor, and particularly in the last match Vines and I played in. But one must not forget that with the slanting rays of sunlight breaking from over these hills, the linesman's job is no sinecure and is probably most difficult. The court surface is fairly good and took me by surprise.

Tour Successful

"The tour so far has been quite successful, although the trips to and from Manila were by no means enjoyable. The trip back was very rough and I never felt worse on a tennis court than last Friday. I do not think there was any one moment in the match when Vines and I were playing at our best together.

"Referring to the Philippines I was staggered by the demands made by Francisco Aragon, Filipino professional, to play against us. He wanted G\$250 a match, which was absurd to say the least. In America some of the top-notchers have often played for G\$50 an afternoon.

ARMY HOLD CLUB IN FAST RUGBY GAME MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY BY FLOYD

A DING-DONG Rugby struggle was witnessed on the Army ground at Sookunpoo yesterday when the Club and the Army first fifteens shared the spoils in their friendly encounter, the Club scoring two goals and two tries (16 points) to the Army's two goals, a penalty-goal and a try (16 points) on a ground which had been slightly over-watered.

Keen tackling by both three-quarter lines and splendid running by Bidwell and Grievie were the outstanding features of the game, while Floyd, the Army fly-half, came in for his share of the limelight with magnificent defensive work, repeatedly bringing Chadwick down as the latter looked certain of scoring.

The Club forwards were slightly overshadowed by the Army pack, in which Morgan, Harrison and Gillespie were conspicuous, while Watkins was hooking well in the opening half, although the Club had most of the ball in the second period.

Henderson's Good Debut

Henderson acquitted himself very favourably in his debut appearance for the first fifteen, sending out some perfect passes to Butcher, who was, however, standing too far away from him on occasions. Henderson's touchdown in the latter stages of the game proved invaluable to the hard-worked Club backs.

Van Leeuwen, on the Club left-tackle, was not seen at his best and could have given the Club victory had he reverse passed in the latter stages to Bidwell, who was waiting for the ball with only Barry to beat, but the wing-three-quarter hung on to the ball and was graced by Floyd. Van Leeuwen's handling was also not at its best and he dropped several passes, one of which saw Boyling gather to score.

Backs' Mistake

Barry was the safer of the two backs and kicked a good length ball, while the Army backs made the mistake of running across the field instead of straight.

The Club were five points ahead of the Army inside the first five minutes of the game when Butcher broke through to send Walkden over near the posts for Watson to convert. But the Army came back with a rush from the restart and Morgan gathered a loose ball to break through, Kelschaw converting to level the scores.

Unlucky Pass

After several movements had failed the Club forwards were penalised for off-side, and Gillespie landed a fine penalty goal to place the Army in the lead, but this was short-lived as Bidwell burst through in a characteristic run a few minutes later to send

"I was very disappointed in not being able to play yesterday and feel that I should have given a much better display than on Friday. I don't know why Vinesy is taking a 'busman's holiday' today.

Local Players Paired With Vines

H. Ellsworth Vines was seen in a knock-up against some of the local players yesterday morning on the Stand Court of the Hong Kong Cricket Club.

In the first doubles match, Vines partnered D. S. Green against F. J. Leys and J. Crawford, Leys proving the pick of the three local players. In a later match Vines was paired with T. A. Pearce against Paul Kong, the well-known former Chinese Davis Cup player, and Leys.

Tilden was very glad to renew an old acquaintanceship with Paul Kong, who played with Gordon Lum against Tilden and W. F. "Boy" Coen in the Davis Cup competition at Kansas City, on May 27, 1928, when the Americans won by 6-2, 6-1, 6-3.

On being introduced to Vines, Paul Kong said, "I never played against you Vines, but I read of your match against Tilden when you managed to take a set off him, and at this stage Tilden cut into the conversation, stating, "Yeah, Vinesy, you were still in your cradle when Paul Kong here played against me!" Tilden and Mr. and Mrs. Vines spent the afternoon at the Races at the Valley and left the Colony for Shanghai at midnight.

Grievie over, but Watson failed to add the goal points.

Just before the interval a pass from Grievie to Van Leeuwen went astray and Boyling picked up the bouncing ball to cross the Club line wide of the posts, Gillespie adding the goal points with a good kick.

Commencing the second-half five points in the lead, the Army failed to consolidate their position and a brilliant back movement by the Club saw Bidwell send Grievie over in the corner for the latter to ground near the posts, Watson adding the goal points to level the scores.

Then the Club surprised the Army, Bidwell being featured in another characteristic run which saw Chadwick score in the corner to give the Club the lead. With only four minutes to go the Army put everything they had into the game and a 10-yard scrum in Club territory saw the ball come out to Proce, who forced his way over just before no-side was given.

Army:—Fus. Barry; L/Cpl. (47) Jones, Fus. Kelschaw, L/Cpl. Lewis, Spr. Boyling, Fus. Floyd, Fus. Proce; Lt. Lincoln (Capt.), Fus. Watkins, Lt. Calvert, L/Cpl. (38) Davis, L/Cpl. Bobb, Fus. Morgan, Capt. Gillespie and Cpl. Harrison.

Club 1st XV:—P. C. Frost; H. van Leeuwen, W. E. Grievie, H. D. Bidwell, G. K. Chadwick; A. H. R. Butcher, J. R. Henderson; A. F. Walkden (Captain), J. S. Dunnett, E. P. Humphreys, I. H. Bradford, A. W. Holden, J. Redman, K. A. Watson and H. W. E. Henth.

Club "A" Collapse

After leading by a substantial margin at the interval, the Club "A" fifteen were defeated by H.M.S. Berwick by two tries and a penalty goal (9 points) to a goal and a try (8 points) on the Army ground at Sookunpoo yesterday.

The game was a very scrappy one with the Club backs dominating play in the opening half.

Read, Stewart and Gallagher shone for the Club, in the back division, while Lyle was sound at fly-half, his defence being good. Cumming, Munro and B. O'M. Deane were the pick of the forwards.

Holland was outstanding among the ship's forwards, while the Berwick backs shone in the latter stages.

The Club scored in the opening half through Read, Munro adding the additional points and soon after Stewart broke through for an unconverted try. In the second period the Berwick retaliated strongly, and unconverted tries came from Tredegeon and Webb, while Holland landed a penalty goal to win the game.

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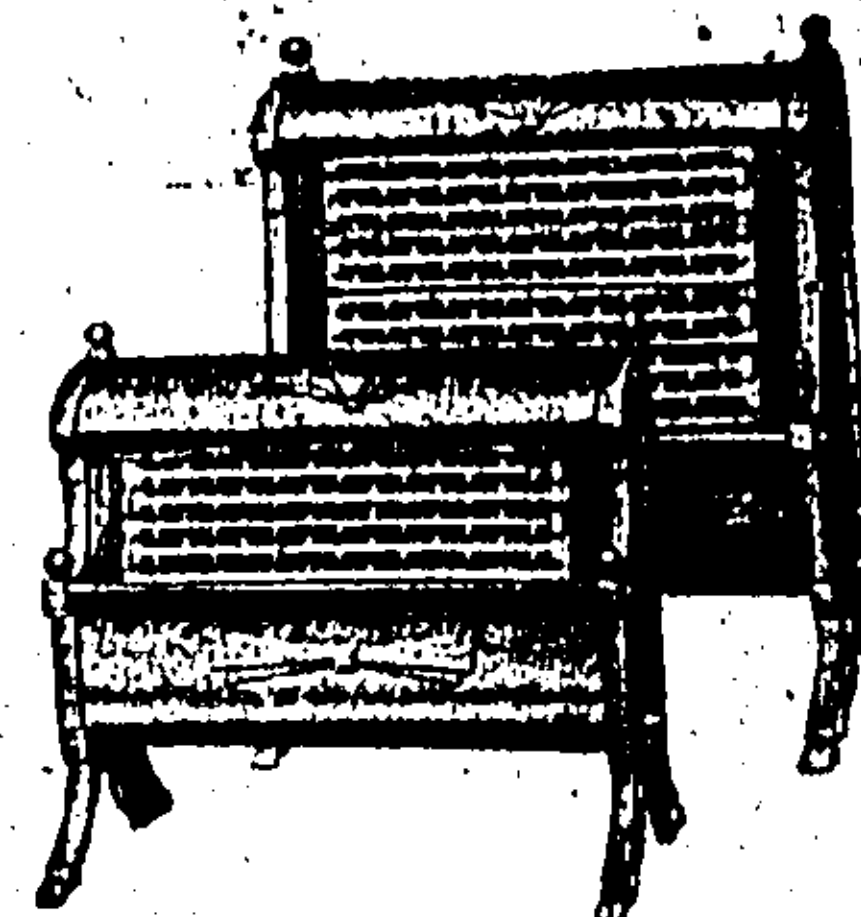
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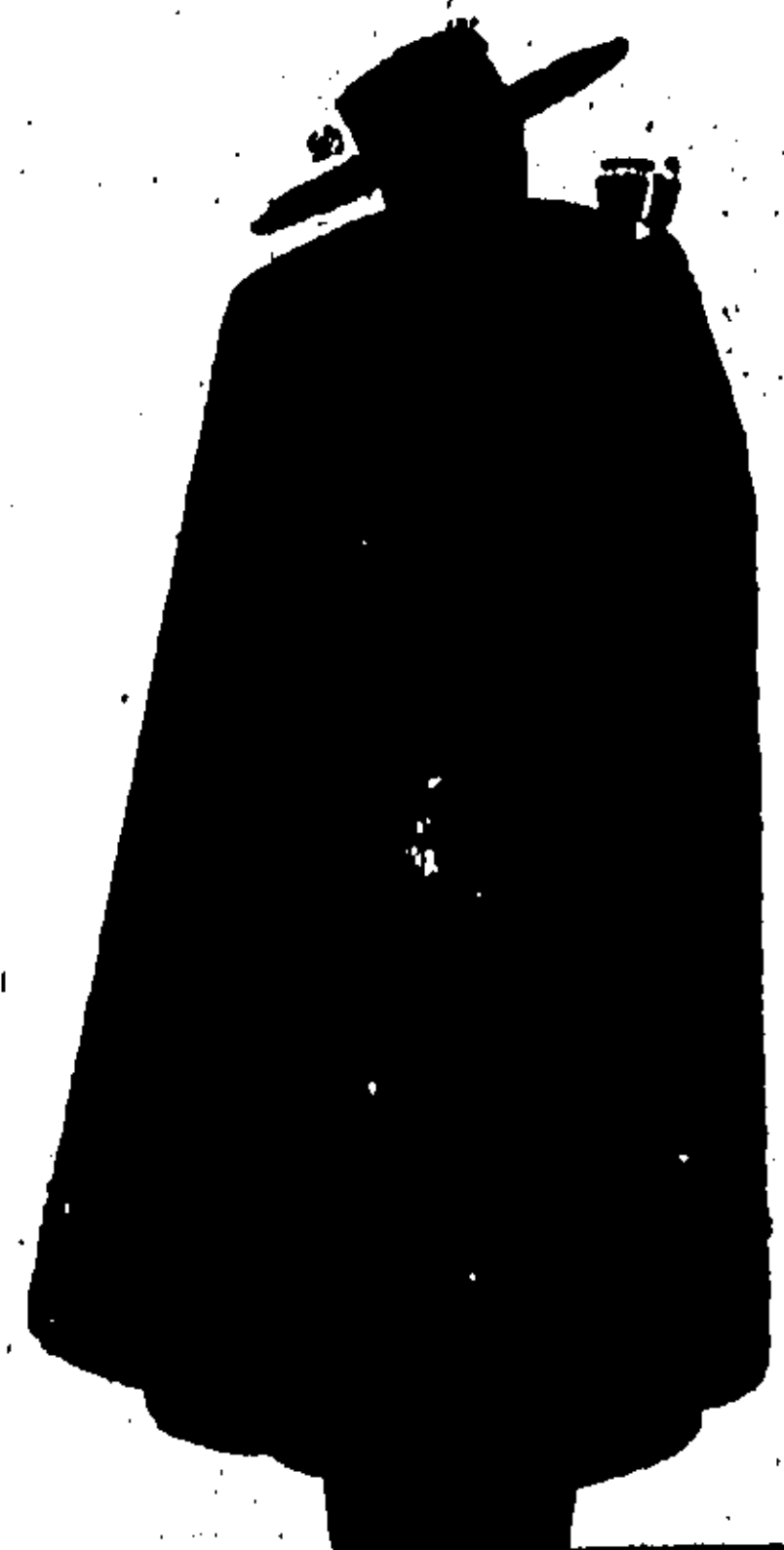
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FASCINATING ACCOUNT

"Modern Canton," by Edward Bing-Shuey Lee. Published by the Mercury Press, Shanghai.

"Modern Canton" is a book as interesting and instructive as it is timely; for at this time when the world is forever receiving vague hints of the modernisation, the transformation of China, Mr. Bing-Shuey Lee has produced a detailed and fascinating account of the extraordinary development of Canton, an account based on facts and figures. He deals with the transformation of Canton from a "mediaeval walled city with narrow tortuous lanes into a modern city with wide asphalt roads and public conveniences possessed by any American or European city."

We are introduced to Canton, the Canton which to-day may be reached by boat, train or aeroplane, as some vague haunt of the barbarians right back in the legendary period. The writer tells of the supposed origin of Canton, the City of Rams, out of which "all things now in China come." He tells of the early days of foreign intercourse when Roman envoys were obliged to travel all the way to Canton to present their gifts; how Buddhism was introduced, and how the coming of the Portuguese heralded the new era of foreign penetration into China. He tells of the old landmarks of the city, strange and picturesque, and gives us plenty of full-page illustrations and a plan of the old city of the Manchu regime compiled by himself.

And then Canton is transformed. The developments he tells us of must claim admiration, and all is told in a manner so lively that we are not worried by the necessary detail, the statistics. We see the construction of wide roads, of modern steel bridges, the Pearl River Bridge being commonly regarded as one of the features of modernised Canton, a bridge 600 feet in length and 60 feet wide, including a sidewalk on either side, with provision for pedestrian and vehicular traffic.

Greater Canton

A greater Canton is planned, the city limits expand, the population grows, and suburbs in plenty spring up, the most fashionable of which is the pleasant Tung-shan. Regarding Shamen, the author expresses his bitterness at the "discrimination against the Chinese in their own country on territory whose jurisdictional sovereignty legally comes within the scope of the Chinese Government." He regards these bars against the Chinese people as insulting to the race as a whole.

Canton's Three-Year Plan is very adequately dealt with: we learn of the enormous programme for increase and improvement of public utilities, the ambitious plans for a wider education, and the important new measures in land administration, in finance, and, happily, in social welfare and public health. With reference to the educational progress the author writes that much is being done to combat the deplorable illiteracy of the Chinese masses.

"Mass education work in the sense of teaching illiterates to read and write is carried on through the medium of day and night classes. The day classes are conducted for the benefit of the children of the poor. The night classes are mainly attended by adult workers between the ages of 30 and 40 who are taught arithmetic and the essentials of citizenship besides how to read and write Chinese characters. Tuition is free, and lecture notes, pencils and paper are provided these penurious seekers of elementary knowledge."

Other Projects

The Inner Harbour Project and the Whampoa Port Project are given prominence; the water supply, the automatic telephone system, the fire brigade, and all the attractions old and new are also adequately dealt with, besides which the book contains useful and interesting appendices classifying the Three-Year Plan, giving all manner of statistics and offering a number of suggestions for improving Canton.

It is a book that will appeal to all who have any interest whatsoever in Canton; indeed, one might say any interest in China, for the achievements of Canton cannot be isolated. It has its use and interest even for the casual visitor, for it gives the location and history



The beautiful Mrs. Gloria Morgan Vanderbilt, left, and her equally striking sister, Lady Furness of London, are here shown aboard the Normandie on their arrival at New York last month, following a London visit.

Local News Brevities

Lady Caldecott is to distribute the prizes to students of the Belilos Public School in King's College Hall on Friday, December 11, at 5 p.m.

Lieut. N. W. Metcalfe, R.A., has not left the Colony, as reported last Sunday. He will be stationed in Hong Kong for another year.

Mrs. A. W. Ingram, wife of the Secretary of the Y.M.C.A., is leaving Melbourne by the steamer Nellore on December 2 after a vacation in Australia. Mrs. Ingram will be accompanied by her daughter, Ruth.

The name of Dr. John Joseph Aloysius Sherry has been added to the list of those entitled to practise medicine in the Colony.

Mr. Wm. John Richmond of Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews in Shanghai, will leave London on January 8, by the s.s. Hakone Maru, accompanied by his bride, the former Miss Elinor Davis, youngest daughter of the late Mr. B. H. Davis and Mrs. Davis, 31 Albert Road, Southport. They were married at All Saints' Church, Southport, on October 16, by Canon W. E. Harston, Morris, Rural Dean. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Richmond, of Edinburgh, and the bride is a member of the Hesketh Golf Club and of the Cambridge Road Tennis Club. Mr. D. Lyon, of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co. in Shanghai, carried out the duties of best man.

A talk on "Christianity and Society" will be given by the Rev. F. Short at the European Y.M.C.A. at 9 p.m. to-day.

A Whist Drive and Tombola will be held in the Royal Artillery Sergeants' Mess, Gun Club Hill, Kowloon, at 8.30 p.m. to-day.

A 9.15 p.m. to-day a Tombola will be held in the Sergeants' Mess, Royal Signals, Whitfield Barracks, Kowloon.

The first annual sports of the Hong Kong Riding School will be held at 10 a.m. to-day at Tai Hang Road.

A Reel Practice will be held at the Helena May Institute at 5.30 p.m. to-morrow.

A dance will be held at the Cheero Club at 8 p.m. to-morrow.

A lecture will be delivered before the Volunteer Nursing Detachment at the P.W.D. Offices at 5.30 p.m. to-morrow.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Section of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club will take place at the Helena May Institute at 11.30 a.m. to-morrow.

The half-monthly meeting of the H. K. Football Referees' Association is due to be held at the Sports Club at 8 p.m. to-morrow.

The annual Safety First campaign starts to-morrow.

A rehearsal of "Make Believe," by old C.B.S. pupils, will take place in the old School hall, Nathan Road, at 8.30 p.m. to-morrow.

The St. Andrew's Practice Dance will take place at the Peninsula Hotel at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday.

of all there is to see, it is well illustrated and contains a dozen maps and charts.—P.J.

Readers are reminded of the Pianoforte Recital to be given at the Helena May Institute on Tuesday next at 9.15 p.m. by Miss Marina Barretto and Mr. Harry Ore, kindly assisted by Mrs. R. Sanger (Soprano) and Mr. H. Evelio (Violin). Mrs. H. Evelio will officiate as accompanist.

There will be a meeting of the Hong Kong Teachers' Association at King's College at 5.15 p.m. on Tuesday next.

The Budget sub-committee will meet at the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home next Tuesday.

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia is expected here from Manila at 6.30 a.m. on Tuesday next and will berth at the Kowloon Wharf. The vessel will sail for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., via ports, the following afternoon at 5 p.m.

The Old Blues annual dinner will be held at the Gloucester Hotel on Tuesday, November 24, at 8 p.m. Old Blues who intend to be present and have not yet informed Capt. R. L. K. Allen, General Staff Office, H. M. Naval Dockyard, are asked to send their names to him at once.

Two passengers left Hong Kong for Shanghai yesterday by the C.N.A.C. plane Fukien. They were Mr. Shiu Kong and Mr. Douglas A. Ross. There were no through passengers from Canton.

A Gazette notification states that Mr. Lancelot Alban Searle has been appointed to be a Police Probationer, with effect from November 11.

The following unclaimed radio telegrams are lying at the Government Radio Office:—Zak, from Harbin; and M. H. Reed, s.s. Pres. Hoover, from Austin (Tex.).

Charged with the theft of money and jewellery, valued at \$137, an unemployed Chinese, Ng Kum-hung, was sentenced to two months' hard labour by Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday morning. Detective-Sergeant Banks appeared for the prosecution.

Described as a salesman, E. H. Watts, of "Empress Lodge," Kowloon, had his bail of \$5 exonerated by Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday morning for failing to appear in Court to answer a charge of drunkenness and incapability, which it was alleged, took place at the Tsim Sha Tsui Police Station last Friday.

FORTHCOMING WEDDING

The forthcoming wedding is announced of Mr. Ronald James Douglas Clerk Grieve, of No. 194, The Peak, and Miss Frances Boulton, of No. 462, The Peak.

POPPY DAY FUND

The following are the latest contributions to the Poppy Day Fund:

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DYSENTERY AND ITS TREATMENT

TOXIC AND VIRULENT TYPE EXAMINED

SERUM METHODS GIVE BEST ALL-ROUND RESULTS

THE following article, written specially for the *Sunday Herald* by a prominent local medical authority, is not only very interesting reading but should prove to be of great instructive value to parents and laymen in general, in view of the dysentery epidemic.

THE present epidemic of dysentery has naturally given rise to great anxiety on the part of parents. Public alarm has become intense and under such circumstances a frank and unbiased statement with regard to the epidemic should go some way towards allaying further misunderstanding. The epidemic through which the Colony is passing is fortunately of rare occurrence, although dysentery has always been prevalent in all Eastern and Far Eastern Countries. It affects children with frequency and severity.

STATEMENT BY H. E.

His Excellency the Governor will make a statement on the Dysentery epidemic at the session of the Legislative Council on Tuesday, next.

There are two main types of dysentery, bacillary and amoebic. The bacillary type is by far the most common as an active dysentery, and the present outbreak is one of a very toxic and virulent type. No further reference will be made to the amoebic form. The organism responsible for the present epidemic is the Shiga bacillus which produces such devastating effects in children. The mortality rate amongst European children is high owing to their lack of resistance.

This bacillus lives in the intestinal canal of man—once out of his body it dies quickly. Direct sunlight kills it within an hour. In faeces it may live for two days. In milk and water, on fruit and vegetables, it may live for seven to 14 days.

Source Of Infection

The source of infection is always man himself, for only he can spread this disease by excreting organisms in his faeces. The worst offender is not the person suffering from an acute attack of dysentery but the one who has developed a chronic stage of the disease. Millions of bacilli are passed in the faeces of such an individual. True carriers of bacillary dysentery are also found, and these persons can spread the disease widely.

Bacillary dysentery can be disseminated in a number of ways and direct contact has been proved to be an important means. A most definite form of transmission is through flies. This was first proved experimentally by Manson-Bahr in 1912 and during the Great War his experiments were confirmed. Bacilli are found not only in the intestinal tract of the fly but on its feet. Thus there is a great risk of bacillary dysentery spread if flies light on food. Contaminated water is another vehicle of dissemination, whether used for drinking purposes or for washing utensils which may contain food. Spread by milk may also occur where either a human Shiga carrier is handling milk, in which case the infection is conveyed to the milk, or the milk may be contaminated by the addition of water containing the bacillus.

Uncooked Vegetables

Uncooked vegetables—particularly lettuce and celery—may be contaminated by manuring processes particularly as carried out in these parts.

How often does one hear the following conversation?—"Do have some lettuce. It is grown in our own garden and is perfectly safe. I superintend the watering myself."

Too often the victim's politeness overcomes his better judgment, and he succumbs to the temptation. Had he passed that same garden at the crack of dawn he

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 k.c.s.), 81.49 metres. (9.52 Megacycles).

A Programme by the Choral Group. Studio Recital.

9.10-10 a.m.—A Relay of the Military Parade Service from St. John's Cathedral.

10 a.m.—CLOSE DOWN.

11 a.m.-12.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Morning Service from St. John's Cathedral.

12.15-2.30 p.m.—European Recorded Programme.

12.15 p.m.—Symphony No. 2 in B Minor (Borodin), played by The London Symphony Orchestra, Conducted by Albert Coates.

12.40 p.m.—A Pianoforte Recital by Alfred Cortot.

Allude in F Major (Chopin), Op. 38. Impromptu No. 1 in A Flat Major, (Chopin), Op. 29.

Impromptu No. 3 in G Flat Major, (Chopin), Op. 51.

Fantasia Impromptu in C Sharp Minor (Chopin), Op. 66.

1 p.m.—Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—A Concert.

Soprano Solos—Ave Maria (Bach, Gounod), Panis Angelicus (Cesar Franck), Gota Ljungberg.

Violin Solos—Dance Champetre, Op. 106, No. 1 (Sibelius), (a) Romance, Op. 78, No. 2 (Sibelius), (b) Dance Champetre, Op. 106, No. 2 (Sibelius) Emil Telmányi.

Baritone Solos—Ich Grolle Nicht (I'll not complain), (Schumann),

would have witnessed a scene which of itself would explain the superb lettuce heads in which may be lurking the bacillus of dysentery and many other infective agents besides.

It must be realised that bacillary dysentery is more fatal to children than adults. Parents should be warned against the ever-growing tendency to regard attacks of diarrhoea lightly and to designate them by the usual term, "Hong-Kong Dog."

"Warning"

At times acute bacillary dysentery is preceded by what is called a "warning diarrhoea." This may last for one or two days and then the child becomes suddenly acutely ill, with very numerous stools containing blood and mucus. Its present form there is severe toxæmia and the child becomes quickly dehydrated because of the great loss of body fluids.

This is not the place for details of treatment, but reference will be made to the more urgent points.

With regard to the treatment of acute bacillary dysentery early diagnosis is most important, and so far as children are concerned parents should not delay in sending for the family doctor.

Methods of treatment may vary but it is the bounden duty of the doctor to commence treatment at once, should he even suspect acute bacillary dysentery in a child. At the present time there is no more powerful agent at the doctor's disposal than anti-dysenteric serum. Its efficacy, if it is used within the first 48 hours of the onset of an acute attack, is now admitted by all clinicians. This applies particularly to such an acute and toxic infection as exists at present.

Proper Feeding

Another very important factor in the correct treatment is proper feeding in the early stages. It does not seem to be sufficiently realised by many doctors that the Shiga bacillus thrives on albuminous

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Elegie (Song of Mourning), (Massenet)—John Brownlee. Cello with Organ—Adoration (Borowski).

Beatrice Harrison. 1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press, Local: Weather Forecast, Time and Announcements.

1.40 p.m.—Excerpts from Light Opera.

"Dorothy"—Selection (Collier). "The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards

"The Arcadians"—Arcady is ever young (Monckton).

Winnie Melville (Soprano). "Maritana"—Vocal Gems (Wallace).

Clara Serena, Francis Russell, Dennis Noble and Chorus.

2 p.m.—Marek Weber and His Orchestra. Fantasia—"At the Tchaikovsky Fountain" (Urbach).

Waltz—Amorette-tanza (Gung'l). Waltz—Old Vienna (Lanner, arr. Kremer).

In the Temple of the Bells (Study from Peking) (Yoshitomo). Chinese Fairy Tales (Dreyer, arr. Yoshitomo).

Waltz—Danube Waves (Ivanovitch). 2.30 p.m.—CLOSE DOWN.

4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7-10.30 p.m.—European Programme.

7 p.m.—Kreutzer Sonata (Beethoven) Op. 47, played by Bronislaw Huberman (Violin) and Ignaz Friedman (Pianoforte).

1st Movement—Adagio Sostenuto—Presto.

2nd Movement—Andante con Variazioni.

3rd Movement—Finale—Presto.

7.35 p.m.—Enigma Variations, Op. 36 (Elgar), played by the B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra, Conducted by Adrian Boult.

8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m.—Grand Opera.

Overture—"Die Meistersinger" (Wagner) London Philharmonic Orchestra.

Arias—"Rinaldo"—Let me weep (Handel), "Samson and Delilah"—Softly Awakes My Heart (Saint-Saens) Maria Olezewska (Contralto).

Arias—"Tannhauser"—The Landgrave's Address (Wagner), "Lohengrin"—The King's Address (Wagner) Ivar Andresen (Bass).

8.30 p.m.—From the Studio. Soprano—Eva Turner.

Pianoforte—Lindsay A. Lafford. Programme.

1. Songs—(a) My heart ever faithful (b) Oh yes, just so Bach

2. Pianoforte—(a) Prelude and Fugue in G minor (b) Mortify us by Thy grace (chorale, transcribed by Walter Rummel).

(c) Prelude and Fugue in G major Bach

3. Two Songs—Handel. 9 p.m.—Reuter Press.

9.20 p.m.—From the Studio. A Classical Programme. Conducted by E. Gualdi.

1. The Choral Group—Come la neve al sole (Ansanis) Fair Phyllis (Farmer).

2. Sylvia Choy (Soprano). Regnava nel Silenzio—"Lucia di Lammermoor" (Donizetti).

Musetta's Waltz Song—"La Boheme" (Puccini).

3. The Choral Group—Clorinda False (Morley).

4. Consuelo Hyndman (Soprano) and Male Chorus—Madre pietosa "Forza del Destino" (Verdi).

5. The Choral Group—Sulla Laguna (Antollseil).

6. Gaston D'Aquin (Tenor) and Alec Greaves (Baritone) Solenne in quoniam—"Forza del Destino" (Verdi).

7. The Choral Group—Gli aranci cileziani—"Cavalleria Rusticana" (Mascagni).

10 p.m.—London—Big Ben. Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra.

Largo (Handel). Le Prophete—Coronation March (Meyerbeer).

Chanson Triste (Tchaikowsky, arr. Stewart).

Oriental Dance—Novelty Duet (White).

Caribbean Doll Dance (Pieler). Crocus Time—Serenade for Strings (De La Riviere).

Intermezzo Fisicato (Strings) (Birch). A Fairy Ballet (White).

Raindrops (De La Riviere). 10.30 p.m.—CLOSE DOWN.

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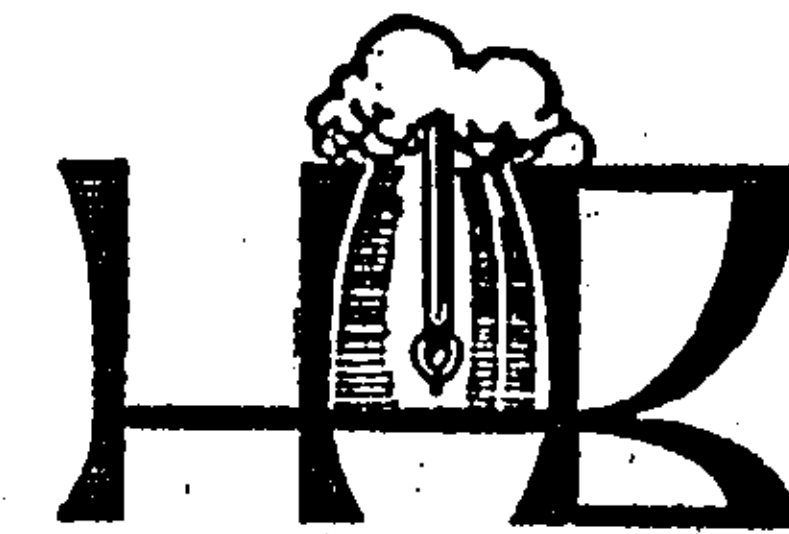
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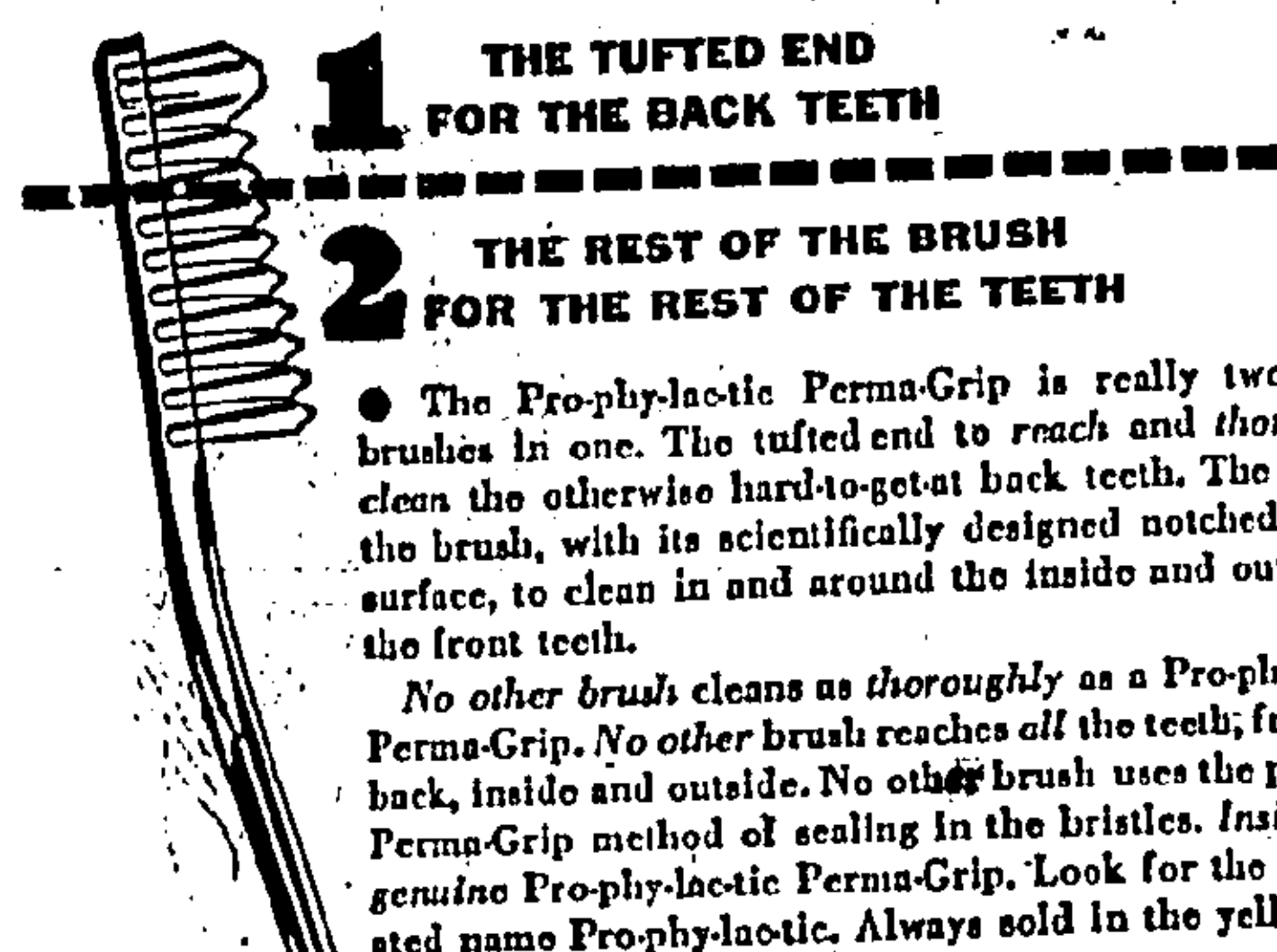
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NEW HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

BISHOP MOK LAYS THE CORNERSTONE KOWLOON CITY CEREMONY

The cornerstone of the new Holy Trinity Church in Ma Tau Chung Road, Kowloon City, was laid yesterday afternoon by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Mok Sau-tsang, of Canton, in the presence of a large gathering of members and friends of the various churches in the Colony.

The Rev. Edward Y. P. Lee, Vicar of the Holy Trinity Church of Hong Kong, was in the chair, and, on behalf of the church community, presented Bishop Mok with a silver trowel at the commencement of the programme, after which the entire audience joined in singing a hymn, at the conclusion of which the Rev. Mr. Lee asked the Bishop to carry out the laying of the cornerstone.

Under the stone was placed a glass jar containing a newspaper cutting of the history of the Church, which had been prepared by Mr. Y. L. Sue, the Joint Secretary and Treasurer of the Church.

Before the Bishop rose to address the audience, two sacred songs were rendered by the girls of the Victoria Home, which is situated next to the new Church.

Bishop's Speech

In his speech the Bishop dwelt on the hardships and difficulties which were being experienced in their not having a permanent building for worship. He reminded his listeners that formerly they had to hold their services in a little ground-floor flat in Kowloon City, and then, owing to unfavourable circumstances, they had to move to another place. This had since been under demolition, but the Government had been good enough to grant them compensation in the form of a substantial contribution towards the building funds of the new Church, which will be completed early next year. He earnestly appealed to the members of the Church to give their support generously, explaining that although some of the equipment of the new Church will be coming from Foochow, some expenditure will still be necessary to instal it. In concluding his address, Bishop Mok said that the Church community should give thanks to God for making it possible for them to have a permanent place of worship.

In replying, the Rev. Mr. Lee thanked the Bishop for coming all the way from Canton to officiate at the ceremony. He also expressed, on behalf of the Church, gratitude for all those who attended the ceremony. The ceremony ended with a hymn.

Among those who attended the ceremony were the Rev. Tsang Kai-nok, of All Saints' Church, Mr. Y. L. Sue, Secretary and Treasurer of the Holy Trinity Church, Messrs. Y. T. Woo, L. K. Wong, Miss Blanchett, Mr. T. M. Wong, Chairman of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Wong, Miss Hollis, the Rev. Lee Kau-yan, Miss Jennings, Mrs. T. S. Lam and many others.

History Of The Church

EARLY EVANGELISTIC CHURCH

In 1900 Miss Finney, a C.M.S. missionary, used to spend from Friday to Tuesday every week in Kowloon City. She visited and taught in the villages, and held weekly meetings for women in the home of Mrs. Ku Kai-tak, the Biblewoman, in Hok Lo Tsuen. Evangelistic work was also carried on in the villages of To Kwa Wan, Ho Uen and Hung Hom. In 1902 the first church was built for the district. A section of land on the Sung Wong Toi Hill, a central position, was granted by the Colonial Government for this purpose. Funds for building were collected from various sources. Mr. Ku Kai-tak, the Catechist, first conducted the services in the new church.

In February 1902, the Rev. Mathew Fong retired from St. Stephen's, Pokfulam, and came to live in Kowloon City. He then took charge of the church, setting free Mr. Ku to itinerate in the villages in Canton. In March of the same year Miss Finney was transferred to Pakhoi, where she was taken ill, and also died in Hong Kong five months later.

In 1902, also, the Colonial Government, acting upon a promise made to the Chinese to leave the sacred Sung Wong Toi Hill, reclaimed the land upon which the first Holy Trinity Church was built, and gave in exchange another site on the other side of the road and compensation for the building.

The first church was therefore pulled down, and with the Government grant a new and larger church (the present one) was erected on the new site below the C.M.S. Victoria Home and Orphanage.

During Building

During the rebuilding of the second Holy Trinity Church services were held for nearly two years in the Victoria Home Schoolroom. During this time, too, Pastor Fong, with the help of Archdeacon Bannister, procured from the Colonial Government at a nominal annual rent the ruined Yamen Buildings with the old city walls. With the proceeds from the sale of a Chinese Christian Almanac which Pastor Fong himself made and caused to be sold by thousands in Australia—his home for many years—and with subscriptions

from friends Pastor Fong repaired these dilapidated buildings, transforming the old Confucian Temple into the present Tin Kwok Kau To Tong (Gospel Hall). The other buildings were converted into the present Almshouses, the Boys' School, and the Free Dispensary. Owing to his multifarious work about this time Pastor Fong employed Mr. Yam Chok-gwan as organising secretary. Mr. Yam was still in harness when he died shortly before the Pastor.

The present Holy Trinity Church then, was completed in 1905, and dedicated shortly before Easter by the late Bishop J. C. Hoare. The font was donated in memory of Miss Finney's work by the members of her brother's church in Lancashire, England. The brass tablet giving the details of the gift, however, has since been stolen by thieves.

Other Pastors' Work

The Rev. Mathew Yat-sau Fong had faithfully continued the work of Pastor of Holy Trinity until he was called to rest from his labour in 1921. The following year, Rev. Lee Kau-yan, who was in Shekai at the time, was appointed to succeed Pastor Fong. He had an assistant Mr. Lam Wai-kwong. Soon after, Rev. Mr. Lee was transferred to St. Stephen's and Rev. Tsang Kai-nok, Pastor of All Saints, took charge of this church as well as his own. At this time Mr. Lam Wai-kwong resigned and Mr. Ng Kam-tong was engaged in his stead. Mr. Ng resigning soon after, Mr. Chan Nai-man was appointed Catechist of the Church until September 30, 1935, when he was transferred to Dai Pang Gospel Hall and Rev. Edward Y. P. Lee, who gave up his teaching in the St. Paul's College, voluntarily took charge of this church until the present.

In the year 1933 notice was received from the Colonial Government that the hill on which the second Holy Trinity Church was built in 1905 will be demolished by the Government. The Hill and Church must soon give way to an improved Kowloon. The hill is better gone, but the church must be replaced, if not for its religious significance, at least for the work it fosters.

New Church

The Government has been most considerate and generously responded to the appeal with a gift of about 35,500 square feet in area, as well as a munificent grant in cash.

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The bride, charmingly dressed in white velvet with a medieval hat, entered the church on the arm of her father. Witnesses to the ceremony were Messrs. E. Staurengli and R. V. Lederhofer, and among those who attended were the bride's mother, Miss S. Monti, the bride's sister, Mrs. and Mrs. Okuda, Mr. and Mrs. Mose, Engineer Gonella and Mr. Diage.

After the marriage ceremony a reception was held at the Peninsula Hotel, where congratulations were showered on the newly-married couple. Among those present were Mr. Glason, Mr. and Mrs. Okuna, Mr. and Mrs. Lederhofer, Mr. Gualdi, the Rev. Fr. Braga, Mr. Bigazzi, Mrs. Graye, the Rev. Fr. Granelli, the Rev. Fr. Maestrini, Mr. Staurengli, Mrs. Mose, Mrs. Vago, Mr. Parlani, Mr. Vidani, Mr. and Mrs. Thumlowe, the Rev. Fr. Teruzzi, Count De Smechlin, the Rev. Fr. Dalmazzo, Dr. U. Marano of the a.s. Victoria, Mr. Fillini and several others. The happy couple will sail for Shanghai for their honeymoon by the a.s. Conte Rosso to-day.

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Philippine Section

The Philippine Gold Mining section of the market has also remained quiet and business has been on a more restricted scale. Further liquidation on account of the serious reverse experienced last week has caused an irregular market and prices have shown a downward tendency. The Manila market, however, appears to be absorbing all shares offering. At the close of business yesterday the market was more optimistic. The market has fluctuated only within narrow margins and there are no changes worthy of record.

SHARE MARKET REPORT

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RECOVERY AT CLOSE

The following report has been furnished by Mr. C. A. L. Hickott, Secretary of the Sharebrokers' Association:—

The Market has remained quiet during the week. The lower price levels can be attributed directly to liquidation of local stocks to meet losses sustained in the recent setback in the Manila Market. Also a certain amount of selling has been encountered in preparation for the approaching settlement. There was a recovery at the close and a firmer undertone evident, shares being difficult to obtain. Banks continue their steady ascent and are unobtainable at \$1,700. There were enquiries for China Lights at \$134., Coments at \$11., Trams at

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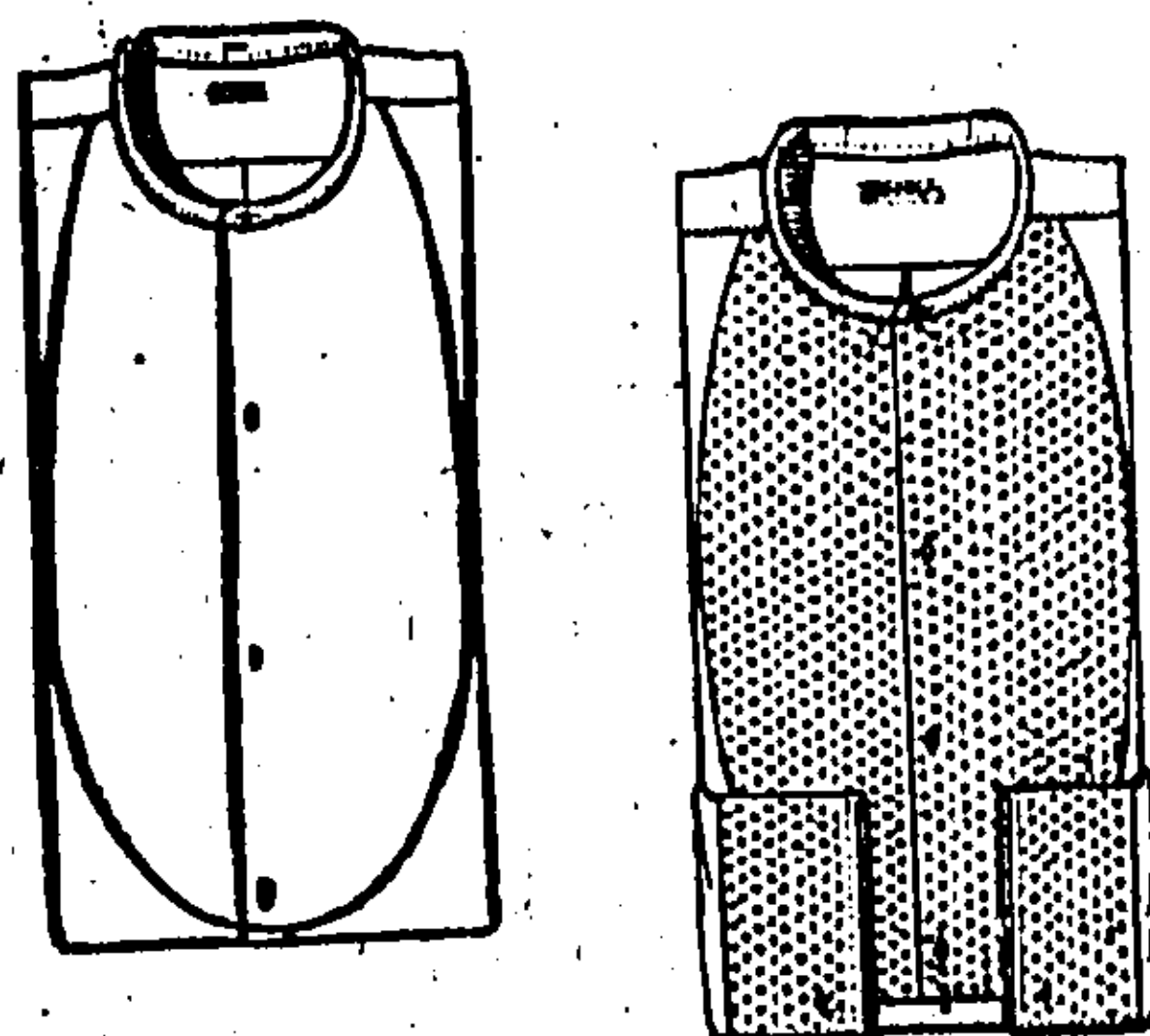
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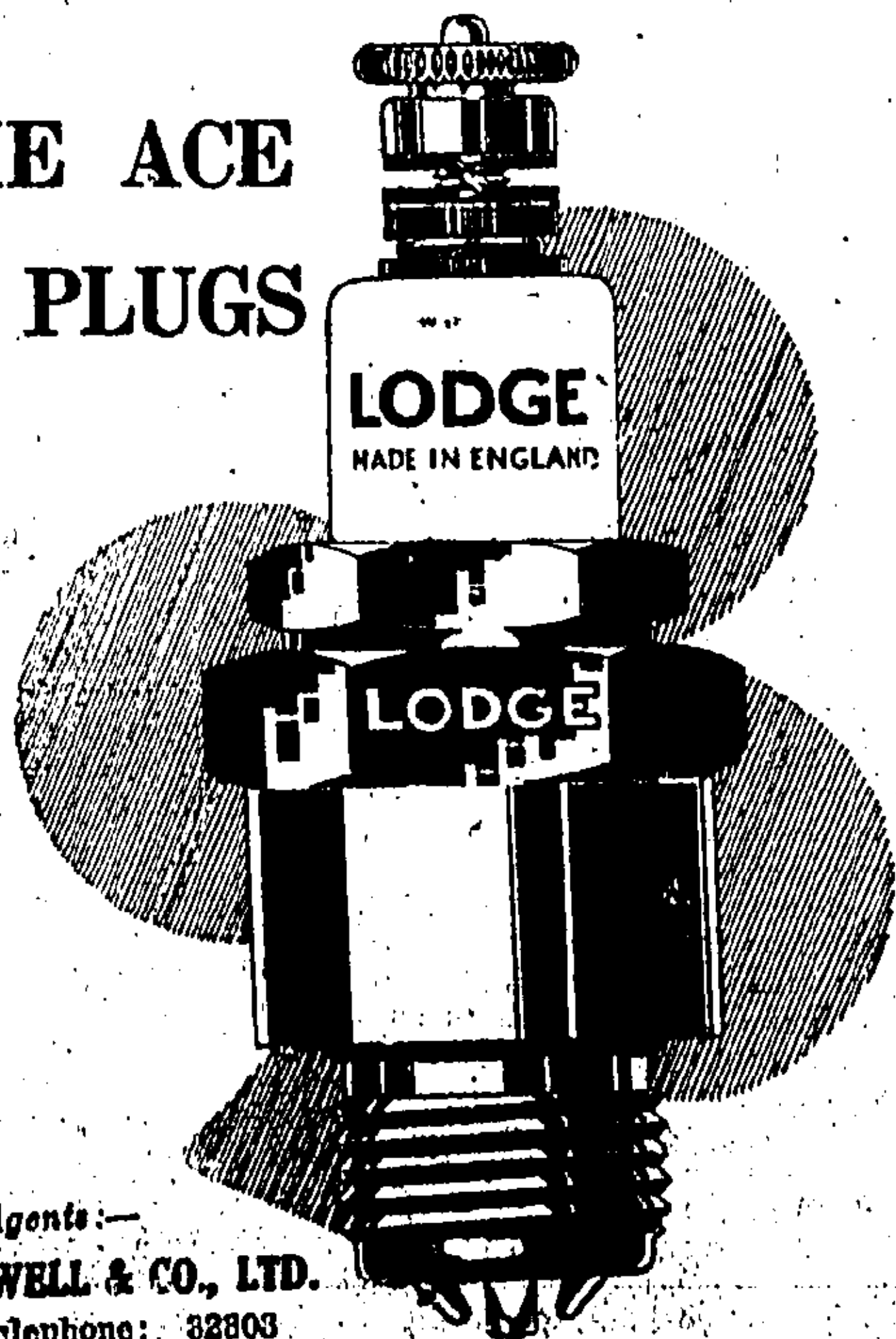


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(By A Special Correspondent)

DESPITE the stern disapproval of some of our social reformers, it may be taken for granted that the cabarets, or dance halls as they are more popularly known, have come to stay, and though it may be argued by some that they are a curse to the good name of the Colony, and a great temptation to the younger members of the community, there are others who hold that they play a big part in providing Hong Kong with somewhere to go at nights, the Colony being notorious for its drab night life.

It is not my intention, however, to argue whether dance halls in Hong Kong are desirable or not. Rather, I shall endeavour to give in this article an idea of the life of the girls, or instructresses, employed in them, but here again there are two distinct schools of thought. One is that, like the dance halls themselves, all those employed in them are an unnecessary evil, while the more broad-minded section of the community are ready to concede that in these palaces of pleasure, as in every other walk of life, there are the good and the bad, and if the prejudiced ones would only study the question more deeply, they would realise that the life stories of some of the instructresses are woven with romance and tears.

Life, indeed, must be a very monotonous round of toil for them, for what pleasure can or do they derive out of dancing night after night, with little or no change at all on the programme, as it were?

"Being Modern"

In a conversation with one of them, I learned that she took up dancing despite the opposition of her family just because she thought it was "being modern" and also because she had heard

that work of this nature was a bed of roses. She has been at it now for the past two years, but beyond the fact that she has fallen out with her family, she has nothing to show for the two years of "going modern."

The same lady told me that one of her friends had taken up dancing because she found that was the only honest employment she could find to earn enough money to support her mother and two very young sisters after the father had died, but what with having to provide for her own dresses and travelling expenses, there is

MAGISTRATES PUZZLED

Boy With Mania For Silk Stockings

A boy with an "irresistible inclination" to steal silk stockings placed the magistrates at Alton, Hants, in a dilemma last month.

A domestic servant stated that a pair of stockings she hung out one night disappeared next morning, and the boy was charged with the theft. A police-constable said the boy told him: "I don't know what made me do it. I have tried to fight against the temptation of taking stockings and failed. The inclination comes over me and I cannot resist it."

"It seems to be a mania with him," added the officer. "Seeing stockings on lines, he feels he must take them. He does not dispose of them but merely hides them."

The magistrates said they were puzzled how to deal with the boy, and adjourned the case for a month for enquiries.



Wise and Otherwise.

Just Think!
Mr. B.: "If business doesn't improve I'll go crazy. I'm literally up to my ears in debt."
Mrs. B.: "Cheer up, dear. Just think how much worse it would be if you were a tall man."

He Was Right!
Goldstein: "Wherever you go in the world you will always find us Jews are the leading people."

MacGregor: "Och, mon, hoo large for a dog, yet too small for a horse. Whatever was it?"
Goldstein: "Vell, Iceberg ain't no Scotch name."

Acid Tongue
Chemistry Professor: "Jones, what does HNO₃ signify?"
Cadet Jones: "Well, ah, er — I've got it right on the tip of my tongue, sir."

Ambition
A young man applied for a job and was granted an interview. After the usual preliminaries the manager said: "Have you any ambition?"

"Ambition?" replied the young man. "I shall never rest until I see you out of that chair."

Nearly
"I say, old man, I nearly got a wonderful car for nothing to-day."

"How was that?"
"Well, I called to see Mr. Robinson and he had a lovely Rolls standing outside, so I asked him if he would like to give it to me."

"Well, what did he say?"
"Oh, he said 'No,' but if he had said 'Yes' I should have got it, shouldn't I?"

Good Claim
"I insured my voice," stated the famous singer, "for £50,000."

"And what," asked his rival, "have you done with the money?"

Perfumed notepaper has been obtainable, but there is no truth in the rumour that letter sent out from inspectors of taxes are impregnated with a slight odour of forget-me-not.

Vanilla
Jamima, a baby gorilla, was partial to sarsaparilla. A strawberry-ice she admitted was nice. She always preferred vanilla.

Innocence!
Young Wife: "What is this ticket, darling?"
Hubby: "Only a pawn ticket."
Young Wife: "Why didn't you get two, then we could both go?"

That's All!
Doctor (attending patient who had just been brought to the infirmary): "I can't think what kind of animal bit you. It is too large for a dog, yet too small for a horse. Whatever was it?"

Awkward Moment
Host (absently): "Will you give your song now, or shall we let the guests enjoy themselves for another half-hour?"

A Good Beginning
"Now, look here, ol' boy, it takes two to make a quarrel."
"Yes, but I can see you've had more than two."

Irreplaceable
The aged porter of the meteorological office was about to retire and was given a farewell party. "Unfortunately," said the President, "we must part, but with your departure the institute loses its reputation for the most reliable weather forecasts in the world. Your sensitive corn is an absolutely irreplaceable loss to science."

All The Details
"Now, miss, what gear were you in at the time of the accident?" asked the sergeant.
"Oh, I had on a black beret, tan shoes and a tweed sports dress," answered the bright young thing.

All Wrong
Warder: "Ain't you asleep yet?"
Burglar: "No, it seems so funny to be lyin' in bed in the middle of the night."

"The Works"
The Sunday drivers had picked the farmer's fruit and his flowers, and their car was full of plunder. Pointing to an unexplored highway, they inquired of the farmer: "Shall we take this road back to the city?"

"You might as well," replied the farmer, "you've got almost everything else!"

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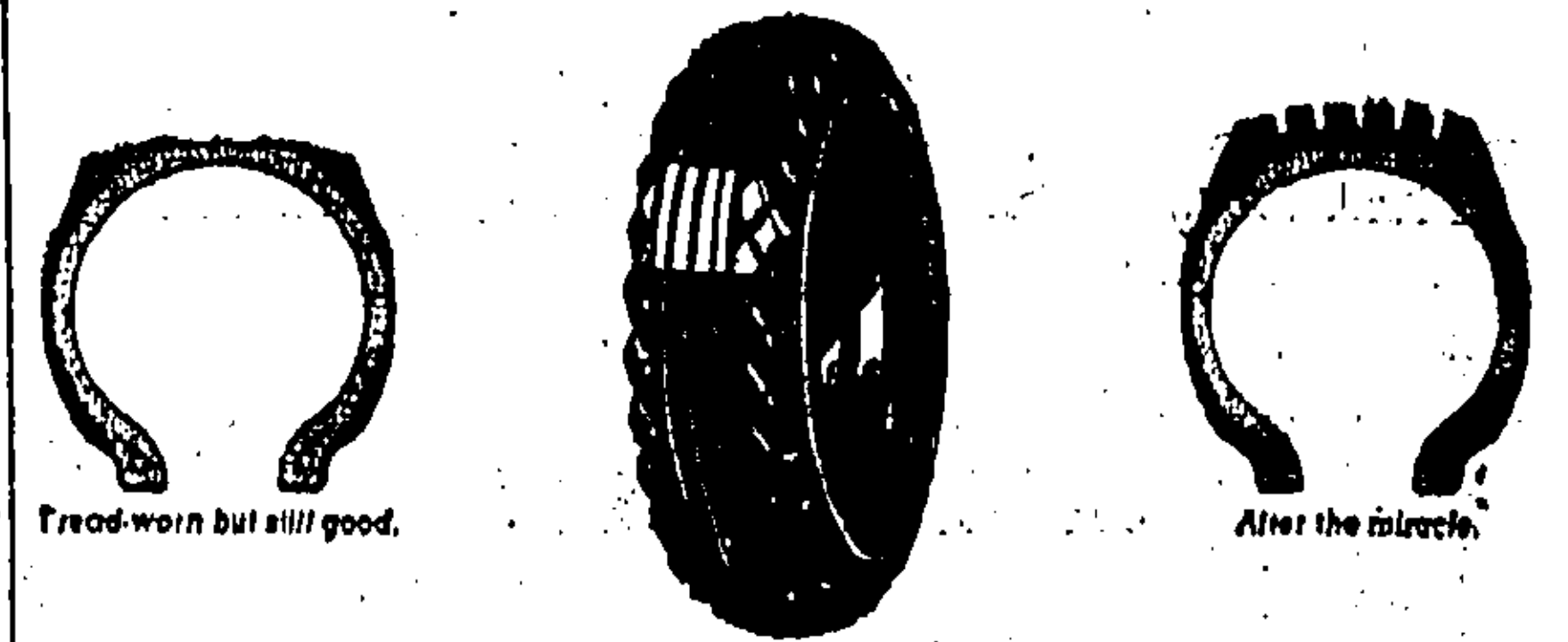
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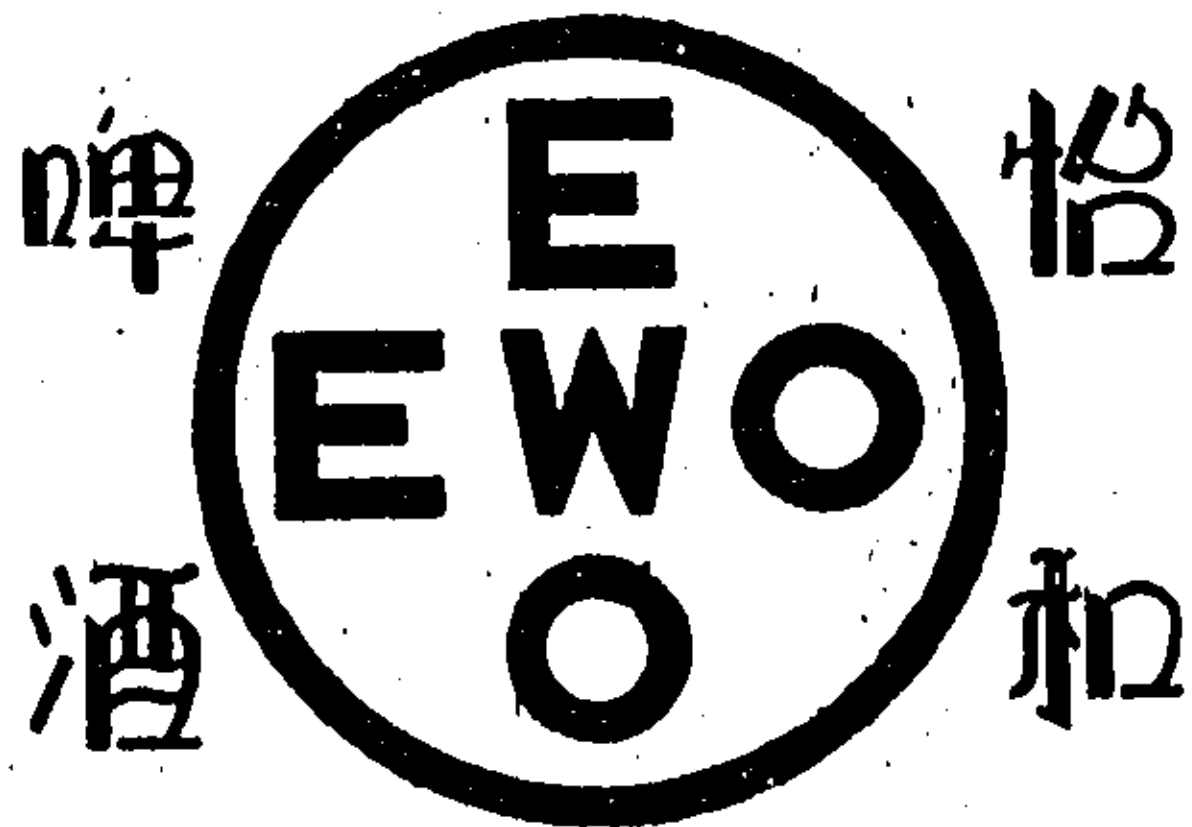
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Canton Optimism

THERE is something very heartening about the cheery confidence expressed in the anticipation of future progress by Mr. Tseng Yang-fu, the Mayor of Canton, which may have been partly due to the "good neighbour" sentiments of his recent reception at Hong Kong. Confidence in the future is the basis of all investment and enterprise, and the one thing on which all men who have dealings with China are agreed is that there is plenty of scope for development so long as the needful basis is assured. The attitude of London, which is surfeited with unemployed capital, was stated the other day by the President of the Board of Trade, in reply to a question in Parliament, to be: "There is always a risk, but we are prepared to take a risk up to a reasonable limit." The Home Government's share of the risk will be incurred by the Export Credits scheme acting on the advice of Mr. W. Kirkpatrick, who will no doubt be in liaison with the new committee of the Federation of British Industries, on which all the big companies already trading with China are represented.

Mr. Tseng hit the nail on the head when he assured the Canton Thursday Club that his country had now reached sufficient stability to make investment in Chinese development "no longer a gamble." The difference between a risk and a gamble is the dividing fence between the sphere of action of Government and Big Business, and the morass of doubt and indecision in which the recent years have been passed. It is a case of the old parable: "The stick began to beat the dog." One favourable feature encourages another. The position is worth examining from the point of view of Mr. Tseng's audience, which consisted of men well acquainted with the troubles of the past and the dangers that will have to be avoided.

There is an old maxim that "influence is not government." The Nanking administration a few years ago could only advise the Tuchuns, who took no notice as long as they thought their own force was sufficient to secure the safety of their plunder. It was necessary that the Central Government should have a trained and loyal force, however diminished in numbers, and the means of rapid transit to any disaffected area. Railways in good order and roads suitable for motor traffic were the essentials. Dr. Sun Yat-sen laid it down that China wanted "a million miles of roads." That will take time, but a good beginning has been made, and roads are an investment that by making trade possible and famine relief rapid, pay for themselves apart from any military advantage. And the Air Force must not be neglected in our computation, for planes can sail over mountain ranges, and stop the mobilisation of local armies at the early stage when they are yet ineffective. The invention of aeroplanes has everywhere added greatly to the strength of central governments in controlling their own subjects, and Spain has proved that they are the decisive arm.

Possession of adequate force makes it possible to secure conditions in which it will not be required. The most powerful constructive force in that task is the introduction of a national currency that will do its work efficiently. This could not be done in a day or a week, but every week that passes without a major disturbance makes the supremacy of the yuan more complete. A full rice-bowl will do more to prevent anarchic communism than any number of proclamations or military expeditions. And the management of the currency which modern conditions necessitate can only be done by the Central Government, and is another very powerful weapon, especially as it is in action from day to day without any mobilisation.

There is still, of course, the question of old debts. Their history is a depressing record; but the turmoil of the last twenty years has taught all the nations to look on debt questions from the banker's point of view rather than the money-lender's. There are too many glass houses in national finance for the throwing of stones to be a popular pastime. The banker knows very well that often the only way to melt frozen capital is to provide some more. All that is needed is for the debtor to show that he is trying to do his best. Recent arrangements made by the Nanking Treasury give that indication. Taking a look around the whole landscape we think the Mr. Tseng's optimism is justified.

BIRTH

BOTTOMLEY—On 17th November, 1936, at the Matilda Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bottomley, a son.

Hong Kong Personalities

Continuing the exclusive series of sketches of leading Colony residents by Mr. A. S. Kony, the talented Hungarian artist.



OUR personality this week is Mr. Kan Tong-po, the Chief Manager of the Bank of East Asia, Ltd., and well-known local Chinese philanthropist.

Mr. Kan was born in Hong Kong and, like so many of the Colony's leading business figures, received his education at Queen's College. On leaving school, he joined the Yokohama Specie Bank for a brief period, after which he left for Japan, where he again continued his studies, finally joining the International Banking Corporation, now known as the National City Bank of New York, in that country, in the position of comprador. Mr. Kan held this position for seven years and then returned to the Colony, becoming associated with several native banks until 1918, when the Bank of East Asia Ltd., was formed and he was given the chief management of the new institution. Thanks to his foresight and enterprise, the Bank has gone from strength to strength and to-day occupies the proud position of one of the leading Chinese banks in the Colony. Mr. Kan is still the Chief Manager of the bank and his 18 years in this position must certainly constitute a record in the history of banking in the Colony.

Outside of the Bank of East Asia, Mr. Kan has many other business interests. He is on the Board of Directors of the China Emporium Ltd., as well as the Municipal Bank in Canton and in connection with the latter he finds it imperative to make several trips to Canton in the course of a month, attending Board meetings, etc. Mr. Kan has been in the banking business for 30 years now and despite the fact that he has risen to the topmost position in one of the Colony's leading banks, he still remains a very modest and unassuming personality, ever eager to remain in the background. He holds many important positions in the leading Chinese clubs and social institutions, all of which have benefited from his guidance and the help which is always readily given when sought.

"HERALD" CALENDAR

November 28, 1956.—Foreign factories burned in Canton.

November 28, 1867.—Great fire in Hong Kong.

November 29, 1900.—Blake Pier opened.

November 29, 1921.—First meeting of the S.P.C.A., Hong Kong Branch.

November 30, 1872.—St. Joseph's consecrated.

November 30, 1892.—Japanese warship Chishima sunk after collision with the P. and O. steamer Ravenna in the Indian Sea.

November 30, 1911.—Armistice between China, Revolutionaries and Imperialists.

November 30, 1922.—British postal agencies in China closed.

THE PASSING HOUR

By A.N.M.

THE skirmishes on the Sulyuan boundary are naturally made the subject of a lot of gossip, and it is quite true that any such skirmish may be made an excuse for a real war. But that only happens when a war is desired and all the necessary preparations have been made. It is obvious that these particular incidents have no such importance, partly because if an excuse should be wanted there are plenty to hand, and partly because the absence of large-scale mobilisation indicates that this is not an "official" war. Infinitely more important is the diplomatic preparation involved in the negotiation — and the break away from negotiations into unilateral action — by Germany and Japan, because they are aimed at securing a free hand in case of war, and the agreement between these two Powers. Nominally, of course, this agreement is designed as a protection against Communism. The choice of a mere bogey to act as cover is in itself a suspicious bit of evidence that other schemes are being plotted. Communism is an economic theory, an idea. Geographical boundaries do not stop theories; their fate is decided by the way they work. Moreover it is a theory of State action, which will be adopted by any State that does not believe in them. And it is a theory that flourishes on hunger and distress which are only nurtured by the vast expenditure called for by armies and armaments. If the use of such vague words as "ideology" and all the rest of the communist jargon were laid aside and there was more examination of the theory itself, the outlines of the bogey would become very nebulous.

STALIN ON COMMUNISM
ONE cannot do more than go to headquarters for information, and as there has been a great deal of confusion since the pure milk of the Marxist word was abandoned in favour of the "New Economic Policy" we may take the definition given by Stalin himself in his book "Leninism" (Volume II, page 307). His summary has six heads, which must be given in full.

The Soviet Economy, he says, means that:

- (1) The power of the capitalist class has been overthrown, and has been replaced by the power of the working class.
- (2) The tools and means of production, the land, factories, etc., have been taken away from the capitalists and handed over to the working class and the peasantry.
- (3) The development of production is subordinated, not to the principle of competition and the safeguarding of capitalist profit, but to the principle of planned guidance and systematic improvement of the material and cultural level of the toilers.
- (4) The distribution of the national income takes place in the interests of systematically raising the material position of the workers and peasants, and extending socialist production in town and country.
- (5) The systematic improvement of the material position of the toilers and the ceaseless growth of their requirements (purchasing power), guarantees the working class against crises of over-production, against the growth of unemployment, etc.
- (6) The working class is the master of the country, working not for the capitalists, but for its own class.

As one wants a clear and scientific definition, one is not favourably impressed by the fact that Nos. 1, 2, and 6 are simply repetitions of the same idea. And the idea itself is rather an aspiration than a statement of fact. The capitalist class, which included all the highly trained managers, was indeed overthrown by the simple expedient of cutting off their heads, but the need for trained management remained. Highly trained men had to be imported, and when it was found impossible to pay them in gold dollars according to their contracts, they went home again. Other men have had to be trained, with great loss of time and efficiency, and as they are indispensable they can command their own terms, as in any other country — only more so. The actual control rests with the Grand Council of 70 men, appointed by co-optation and qualified by unfavourable agreement with Stalin himself even in personal feuds against his

ablest colleagues such as Trotsky, Zinoviev, Kamenov, and scores of less well-known men.

ENORMOUS AREA

RUSSIA and Siberia together are an enormous area, about a quarter of the earth's surface, with equally enormous mineral resources which should have made it the equal of the United States in wealth if they had been properly exploited by the Czarist Government. These mineral resources were discovered and surveyed before the Revolution. The properties — as in the case of the Lena Gold Field, which is at present the main support of the Treasury — were acquired by the simple process of robbery. Anyone who resisted was simply "liquidated." The peasants did not want Communism at all, and when they found they could not get value for their cattle and crops they destroyed all but what was needed for their families. Stalin retaliated by seizing that reserve, and leaving them to die of starvation, which many millions did.

A farmer who sells milk or meat or wool and gets money for his stuff does not remove that money from the use of society; he buys clothes and boots and whatever he wants. It is "purchasing power." Stalin himself asserts that purchasing power is necessary for his own system. He is faced by the fact that the quantity of purchasing power of the people as a whole has not yet even caught up to the level of the old Czarist days. It is admitted by all observers that the benefits expected in paragraphs 3, 4, and 5 are all yet in the future, and it is clear that even if the statistics should show that the improvements in "material position" should be realised, it will only be by the steady use of such compulsion as was exercised on the peasants.

CHAUVINISM

IN the meantime Russia is developing a national chauvinism that will not do anything to assist the better times. And she is far less self-supporting than she would probably have been under a system of popular freedom. She is only able to purchase what she wants from foreign countries, because they have been generous enough to open credits against which exports are sent. In the case of Great Britain, which provides a market for the world, the request for such credits would mean failure and starvation. No. All these treaties and munitions are the wrong way to deal with the Communist bogey. Governments who are afraid of it should send Commissions of qualified men to report what they find — which would be that a rich country that was bound to go ahead would have done so far more quickly under a regime of commonsense.

Five Years Ago

(Extracts from the Sunday Herald of November 22, 1931.)

The Civilians beat the Royal Navy by 5 goals to 3 in the First Round of the Lad. Wah Cup competition. A. V. Gossano (2) B. Gossano, Segalen, and Howe scored for the Civilians, while Redgate and Stevens scored for the Navy.

Craigengower Cricket Club juniors beat the Kowloon Cricket Club second eleven by 10 runs in a friendly cricket match at the Valley yesterday. F. S. W. Smith took 9 wickets for 20 runs for the losers and B. Franco took 8 K.C.C. wickets for 17 runs.

The Central British Association Ladies beat St. Andrew's Ladies by the odd goal in three in a friendly hockey game yesterday. Miss B. Walker and Miss P. Hunt scored for the winners and Miss P. Gittine replied for St. Andrew's Ladies.

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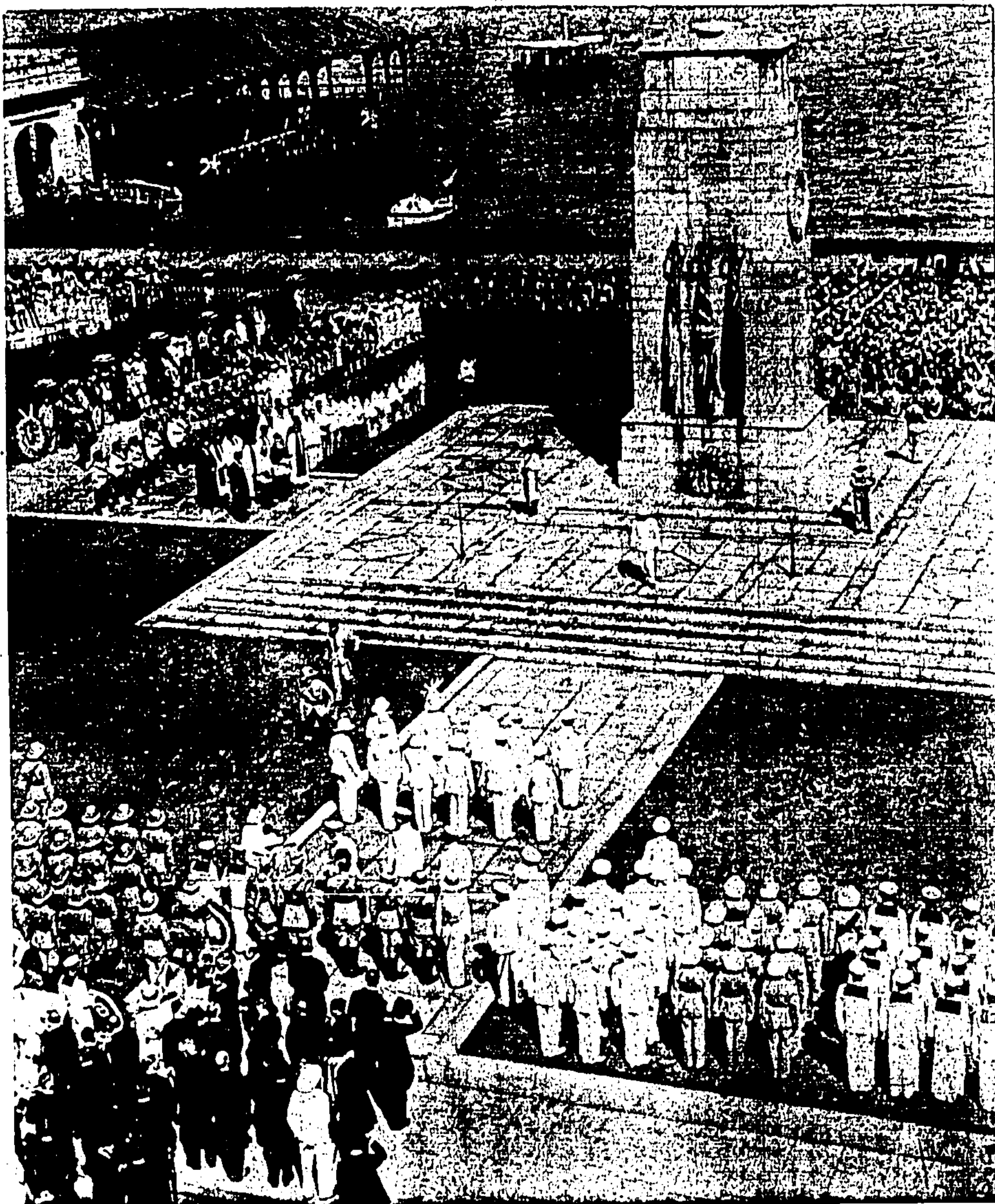
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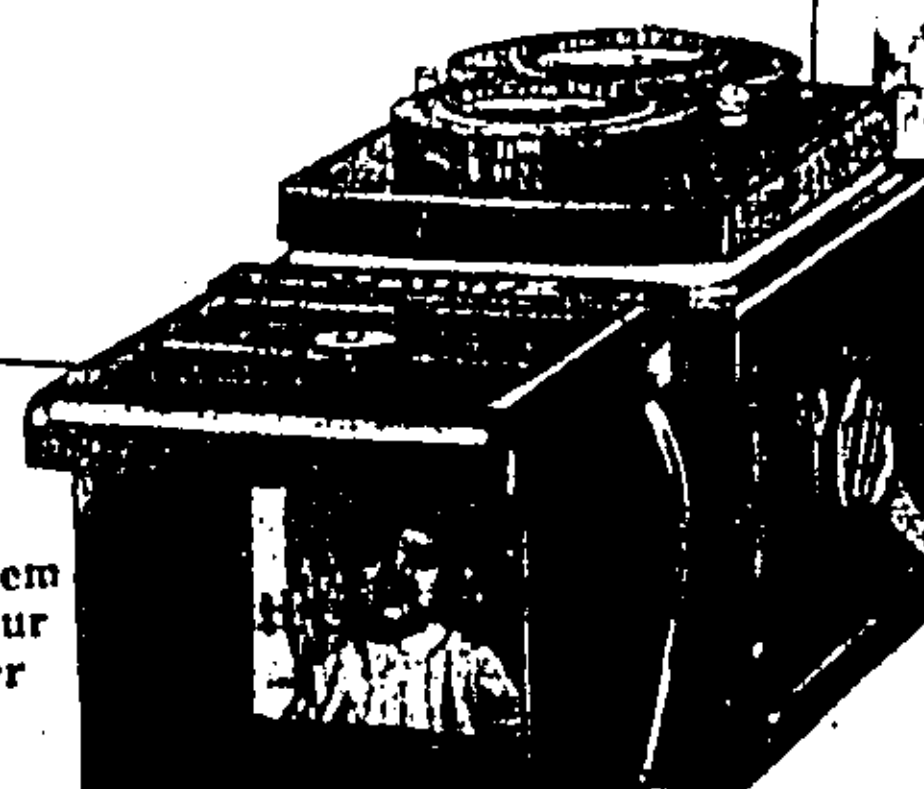
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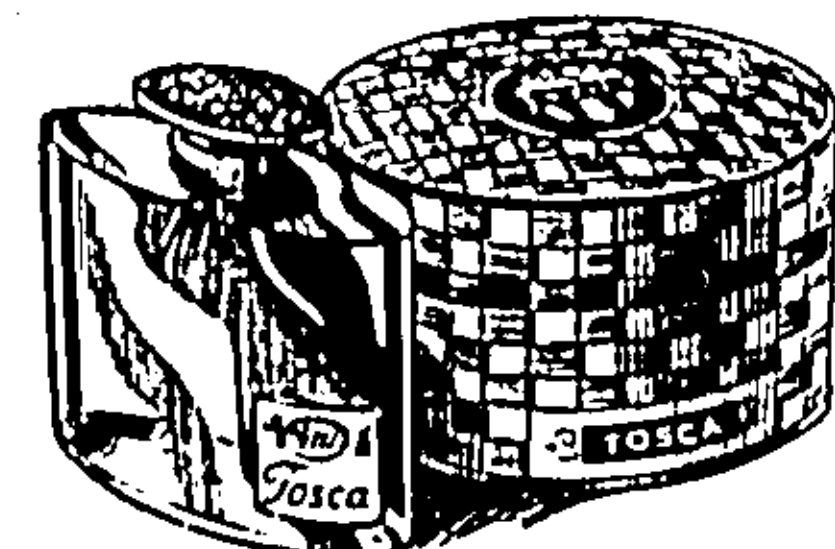
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GRASS WIDOWS ARE LONE WOLVES

GRASS widows always have been a fascinating subject in fiction and the drama, but recently they have attracted students of sociology, who have made some interesting discoveries about them.

Science wanted to know just how the conduct of a woman bereft of a husband, not through death, differed from that of a wife whose mate had died. Naturally, there was a great difference to be found in the respective reactions.

The investigation was limited to Philadelphia and was conducted by Dr. James F. S. Bossard, professor of sociology at the University of Pennsylvania. The professor was interested mainly in three phases of the grass widow's life — "distribution, habits and temperament." His subject included more than 5,000 women divorced from their husbands in recent months. He found the women surprisingly centralized. But not exactly gregarious.

"Grass widows," his report stated, "prefer to live like lone wolves."

"They enjoy gadding about, but they like, as a rule, to have available a quiet little nest to which they can retire at will, without being watched."

"They are constantly having a gay time among the bright lights, but they hate to have the neighbours ask questions."

"They are always looking for friends, but they are afraid of gossip; they want to live a well-rounded, full life, but they don't want other people to know about it."

Dr. Bossard found that there is a veritable "divorce belt," a section of Philadelphia, where grass widows are concentrated. This "Divorce Belt," which consists of two strips, each about thirty blocks long and five to seven blocks wide, presents the features which Dr. Bossard finds divorced women prefer for living conditions.

"Two facts concerning the distribution of divorced women in Philadelphia stand out clearly as a result of this study," declared

Dr. Bossard, who correlated the addresses of 5,664 grass widows living in Philadelphia.

"First, they seek out areas of dense population, characterized by activity, mobility and anonymity, and where housing conditions make possible a certain independence of residence."

"On the other hand, they avoid areas of sparse population, of spatial isolation and of religious prejudice. The divorced woman presents essentially a study in social isolation. She seeks escape in the crowd, not in the wilderness. She knows human contacts, but avoids prying eyes."

"The divorced woman places a premium upon privacy, and finds it in a crowded apartment house. She seeks friends, not in the continued association of a primary group, but in come-and-go relations with a mobile crowd. It is this characterizing search—for stimulation, coupled with secrecy—for contact, coupled with little communication—that seems to offer the basic key to the spatial distribution of divorced women in Philadelphia."

"The two strips forming the divorce belt in Philadelphia form an almost perfect right angle. They meet in the downtown apartment house area, immediately west and southwest of the central business district. One strip runs west, the other runs

north. In other words, these two strips run parallel with and include the main arteries of electric and motorcar transportation going west and north out of the centre of the city.

"It is to be noted that both these strips are dominated, in varying degrees, by apartment houses and rooming places. In fact, these housing features and the concentration of divorced women coincide so markedly in space as to raise the question whether one cannot be used with relative safety as an index for the other."

"Both strips are areas of high mobility, are densely populated and are characterized by a relatively high degree of anonymity. So far as the population is concerned, it is predominantly native-born white, and chiefly of native-born parentage. It does, however, include several smaller areas of Negro population. It avoids, largely, the foreign-born centres of the city, with only certain areas predominantly Jewish by way of exception."

"The most marked concentration of divorcees occurs in a part of the divorce belt largely devoted to apartment houses of the upper middle class type; it contained 118 divorced women or two per cent. of the total of the city."



(Above)—A happy group taken at the recent annual picnic for blind girls. Volunteer workers were in charge of groups of the girls, Mrs. A. W. Hayward being shown above discharging that duty.

(Left)—Mrs. Tamara Kruglak, the representative of the Siberian Furriers' Store, Shanghai, above, is here on a business trip for a short period.

(Right)—A charming camera study of Master Peter Stuart, the 5½-year-old son of Captain and Mrs. Gall, of No. 68b, Nathan Road. (Rialto Studio photo).



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Mainly about WOMEN



The Wa Kwong Girls' Club held a retreat and Students' Conference recently when the above photograph was taken. (King's Studio).

Adopting A Youngster

THERE are so many women who reach middle age, old age, with the pitiful realization of how much time they have wasted, of how little they have achieved. Perhaps most generally these are the childless women. For not all women are talented, have any great desire to do one special work in life. These women, the average women, need children above all else; and these are the women, says Kathleen Norris, the successful novelist who leads so full a life, who should adopt children. It's taking such a chance? Yes, but then everything we do means taking a chance. To choose work, to get married, to buy a home, to accept this business proposition and reject that — these are all chances. Marriage is supremely a chance. To have a normal natural baby is to take perhaps the biggest — the most tremendous risk of all. How do you know that the baby is ever going to thank you for life?

Doubts Assailed

IN adopting a baby you have some comforting considerations to counteract the natural difficulties and doubts. To begin with, you want him. If you

didn't want him your thoughts would never turn toward the question of adoption at all. Many a real mother doesn't want her baby; you do want yours. That starts you off with a real advantage. Then you have years of pleasure with a baby. If you take a small baby you have eight years — ten years of delights. He's absorbing, amusing, such company.

Just simply don't expect too much of your adopted child, nor of your own, nor of anyone else. Says Kathleen Norris: "Every childless woman ought to be doing something for children, either in schools, hospitals, or play centres. There shouldn't be any orphanages!"

And she goes on to say: "We take this question far too seriously. I have known good women to debate and fret for twenty years over the subject of adopting a child; longing to do it, afraid to do it, and in the end doing nothing at all. Why hesitate? What better thing can you do with your time than give one baby a healthy childhood, one little girl or boy a safe growing-up time? We hear of the failures. But of the thousands of successes, of the thousands of women whose greatest happiness in life has come

through the possession of an exquisite scrap of flesh and blood, of the thousands of children who never know that they are different from 'real' sons and daughters, except that their lives are happier, we never hear."

Of course children are sensitive: they don't want to be advertised as adopted, or as unusual in any way. And their foster parents are usually fond enough of them not to want to publish the matter either. Kathleen Norris claims that some of the happiest and most successful persons she has ever known were adopted as foundlings in their babyhood. A famous artist, a woman leader in Washington's social and political circles, an eminent San Francisco doctor — some good woman took them when they were small, loved and tended them and helped to make them what they are.

A Canadian woman and her husband, childless, adopted a child about twenty-six years ago. They had, and have, a rambling ranch that seems specially built for children. The first baby proved a great success, so they decided to have a "child each," and a boy was added to the family of one small girl. In the end they took seventeen such little waifs under their care! Now the old Canadian couple are carrying on with the next generation. Sons and daughters come to them every summer, and the grand-children run wild in the same big yard and climb the same windmill. One of the adopted original seventeen disappointed them: they don't know where he is. But there are all the others, successful and unsuccessful in varying degrees, clever or less clever, but all loving, all grateful.

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The Hampstead Murder

THE first mention of "the detective force" in a criminal case is to be found in the contemporary account of the Hampstead murder in 1845. At about 7.30 in the evening of Friday, February 21, a baker named Hilton heard cries coming from a field near Belsize lane. The cries continued for three or four minutes. Hilton informed Constable Baldoek, who was patrolling the neighbourhood. The constable found the body of a man lying against the blank wall surrounding Belsize house. Sergeant Fletcher, whom he had brought with him, went for a stretcher, and in his absence a young man strolled up, singing, and said: "Hallo, policeman! What's wrong?" Baldoek replied, "I think that it's a man who has cut his throat."

The young man stooped to feel the dead man's pulse and said, "It's a nasty job, policeman." He added that for some years he had taken this route from town and had never been molested, but his parents had always warned him not to go this way at night. He remarked that the policeman had a cold job before him, and offered him brandy, which Baldock refused, although he accepted a shilling.

The young man remained until the stretcher arrived, and followed the little procession as far as Belsize lane. Later he was seen by a witness returning home to Portland Town at a run. At that time he had given his name as Thomas Henry Hocker and his age as twenty-two.

Meanwhile the police had found a witness, a young woman, who made her deposition in tears; she testified that Hocker had dropped in to see her and her friend about 9 o'clock. He was wearing a mackintosh, and explained that there was a little blood on his shirt; that he had been tipsy and had had a fall. He showed them a silver watch and a ring which he said he had just bought.

The news of the murder in the lane was already known, and Hocker discussed it quite naturally with his family. A little later his brother came in and they sang duets together. When Detective Inspector Shackell called and questioned him about the watch he said at first that he had just redeemed it from a pawnbroker, but when his brother pointed out that one of the hands failed to move around he became confused and said that the watch had been given to him by a Mr. Delarue, with whom it was afterward known he had been acquainted. By this time the body of the man found in

the lane had been identified as that of James Delarue, a music professor living in Hampstead.

Hocker's brother deposed that the young man had brought money home with him; that he appeared to be in rather a disheveled state. Thomas Hocker later accounted for this by saying that he had been "romping" with his young woman, Sarah Cox, and her brother, but when these two persons were questioned they denied the story indignantly.

Hoeker was detained and his clothing was examined. It was found to be extensively stained with human blood, and even the mackintosh was spotted. After he was charged with murder he was put in charge of a police constable, James Euston, in Marylebone police station. He was given toast and coffee. An hour later he kicked at his cell door to attract the attention of the jailer. He said that he had gone to Swiss cottage, a short distance away, on the evening

Mr. Justice Coleridge, the prosecuting counsel dwelt upon the strange fact that the murderer should have returned to the side of his victim. "It would be inexplicable," he said, "except for the fact that criminals have done such things before."

The judge gave the prisoner leave to speak. It seemed to be the opportunity he had been waiting for. He asked the judge's leave to fetch some notes of what he intended to say, and was out of court for a few minutes. He returned with some sheets of manuscript, but with entire self-possession he waited with folded arms until there was complete silence; then with an air of insufferable self-conceit he began to read.

It was the kind of fantastic story that belonged to the early days of the cinema scenario, the story of his rivalry with Delarue in the affections of a "genteel young lady" at Hampstead (name not given), and how Delarue had seduced the poor young thing. And so he, Thomas Henry Hocker, had stepped in as her champion, had forged the young lady's name to make an assignation with Delarue, at which the young lady's brother was to be present.

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3 THE DEATH BY POISONING OF JOHN COOK AT RUGELEY ON DEC. 20, 1855, RESULTS IN THE ARREST OF THE NOTORIOUS WILLIAM PALMER. HE IS FOUND GUILTY AT OLD BAILEY, LONDON, IN MAY 1856. AMONG THE SPECTATORS AT HIS TRIAL IS CHARLES DICKENS. PALMER IS HANGED AT STAFFORD.

4 JAMES DELARUE, A MUSIC TEACHER, IS SLAIN IN HAMPSHIRE, NORTH LONDON SUBURB, ON FEB. 21, 1845. THOMAS HENRY HOCKER, THE SLAYER, RETURNS TO THE SCENE OF CRIME, AND IS LATER ARRESTED. IN SPITE OF A BIZARRE TALE HE IS CONVICTED, AND EVENTUALLY HANGED.

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of the murder, about fifteen minutes after it was believed to have occurred, and he asked that the waiter who had served him with rum and water might be sent for to give evidence on his behalf.

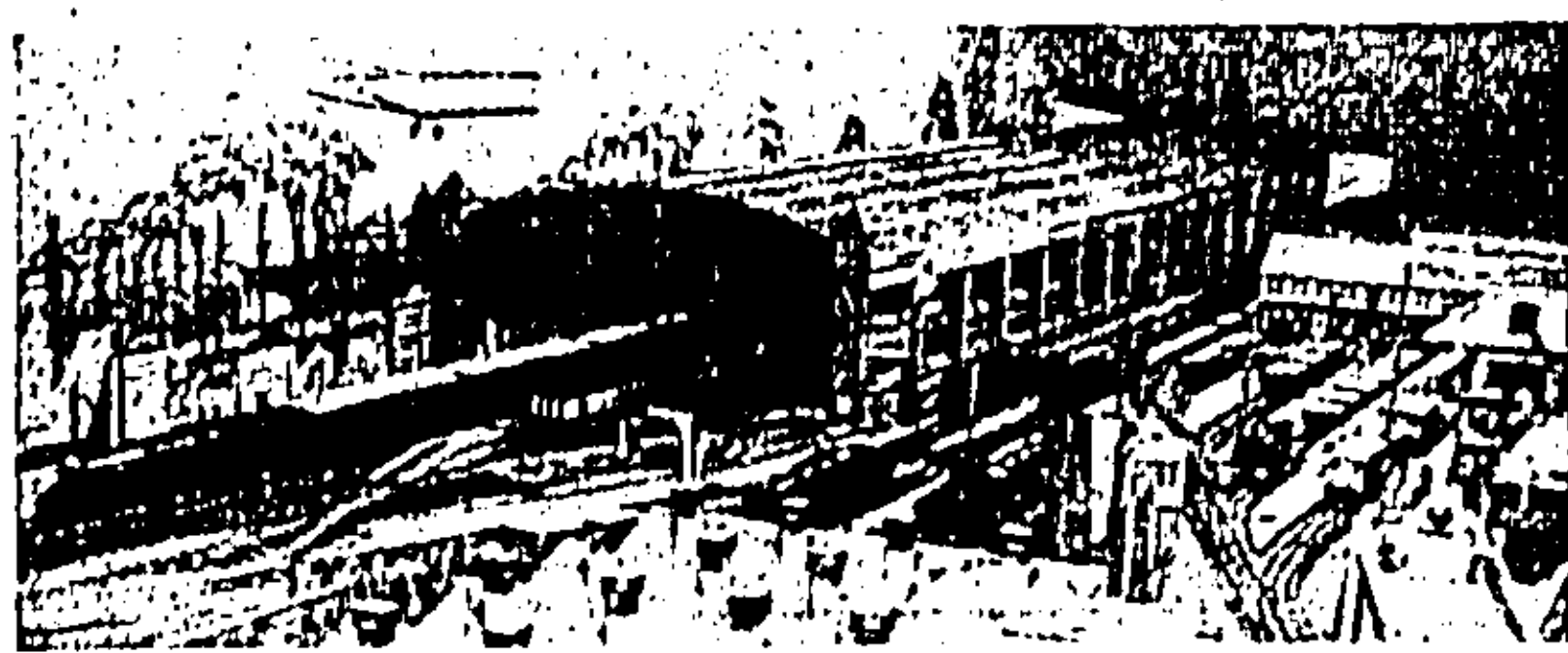
At the time of the murder the victim, Delarue, had in his pocket a letter, written in blue ink and signed "Caroline," making an appointment with him at the spot where his body was found. Blue ink of exactly the same tint was found in the prisoner's room. The letter was addressed to "Mr. Cooper," the name for the victim used by the prisoner in corresponding with him.

When Hocker was tried at the Central Criminal court before

he waited while the brother went on alone to "the fatal spot." Hearing cries of "Murder!", he hastened to the place and found his rival lying dead. Since it was he who had made the assignation, he felt that he was responsible for the tragedy, and he "sought out a slaughter house in Hampstead and there disfigured his clothes in a pool of blood."

There was much more of thisrodomontade to which the court had to listen, but the jury made short work of it. After ten minutes' deliberation they found the prisoner guilty. He was executed on April 28, and there the spirit of bravado deserted him. He had practically to be carried to the scaffold.

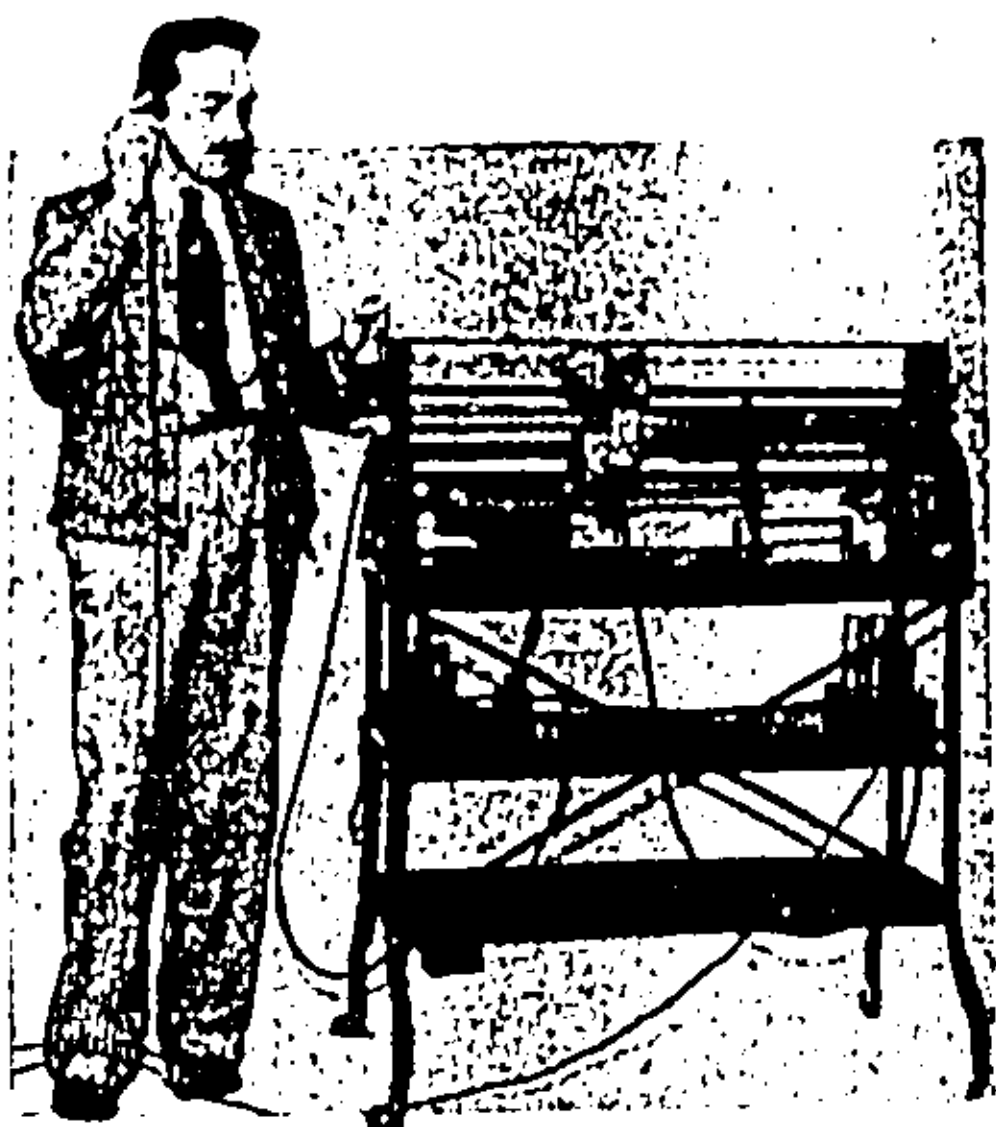
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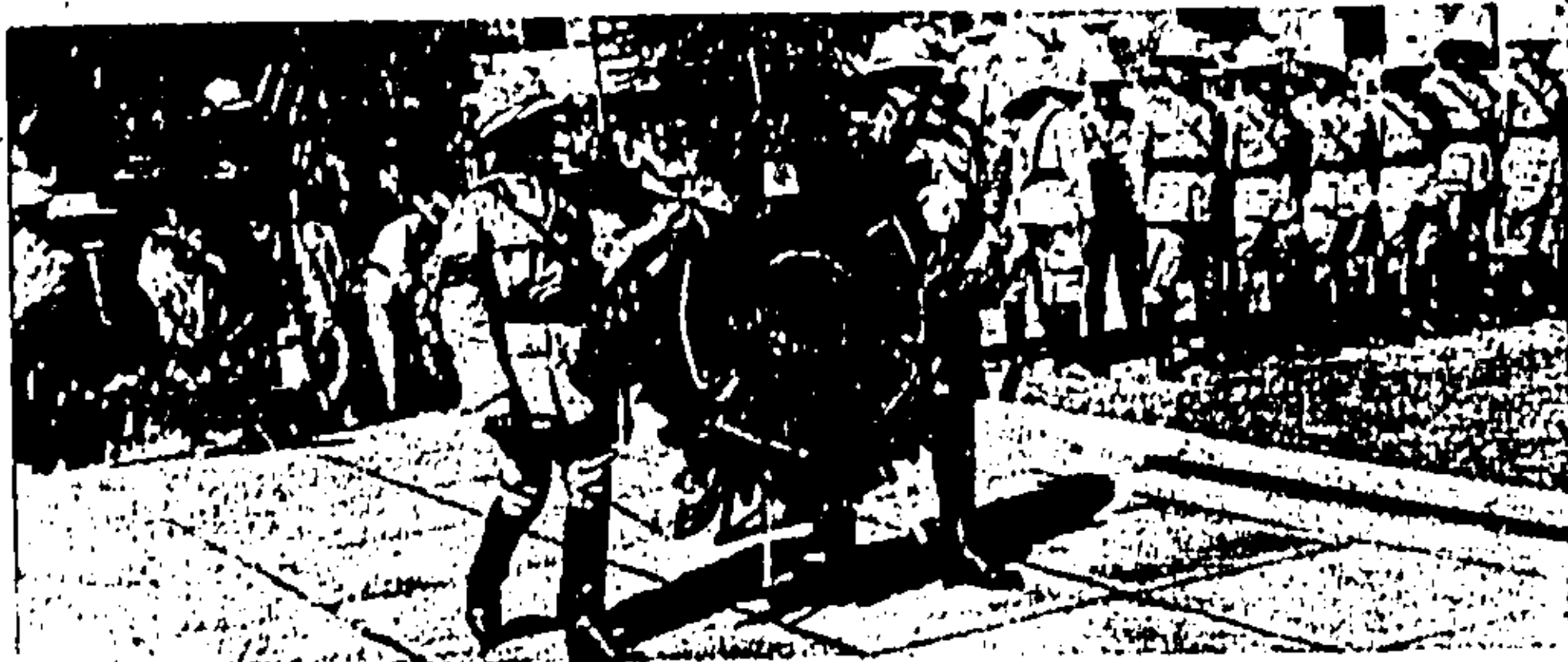
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The victorious Civilians' soccer team, with George Rodger, the Club goal-keeper, nearest the camera. ("Herald" photo).

(Left) A scene at the Hong Kong Reel Club dance at the Peninsula Hotel. ("Herald" photo).

(Below) Mr. G. C. Perdue Deputy Inspector-General of Police, "cornered" by two Poppy sellers outside the Hong Kong Club. (King's Studio).



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Monarchy Versus Democracy

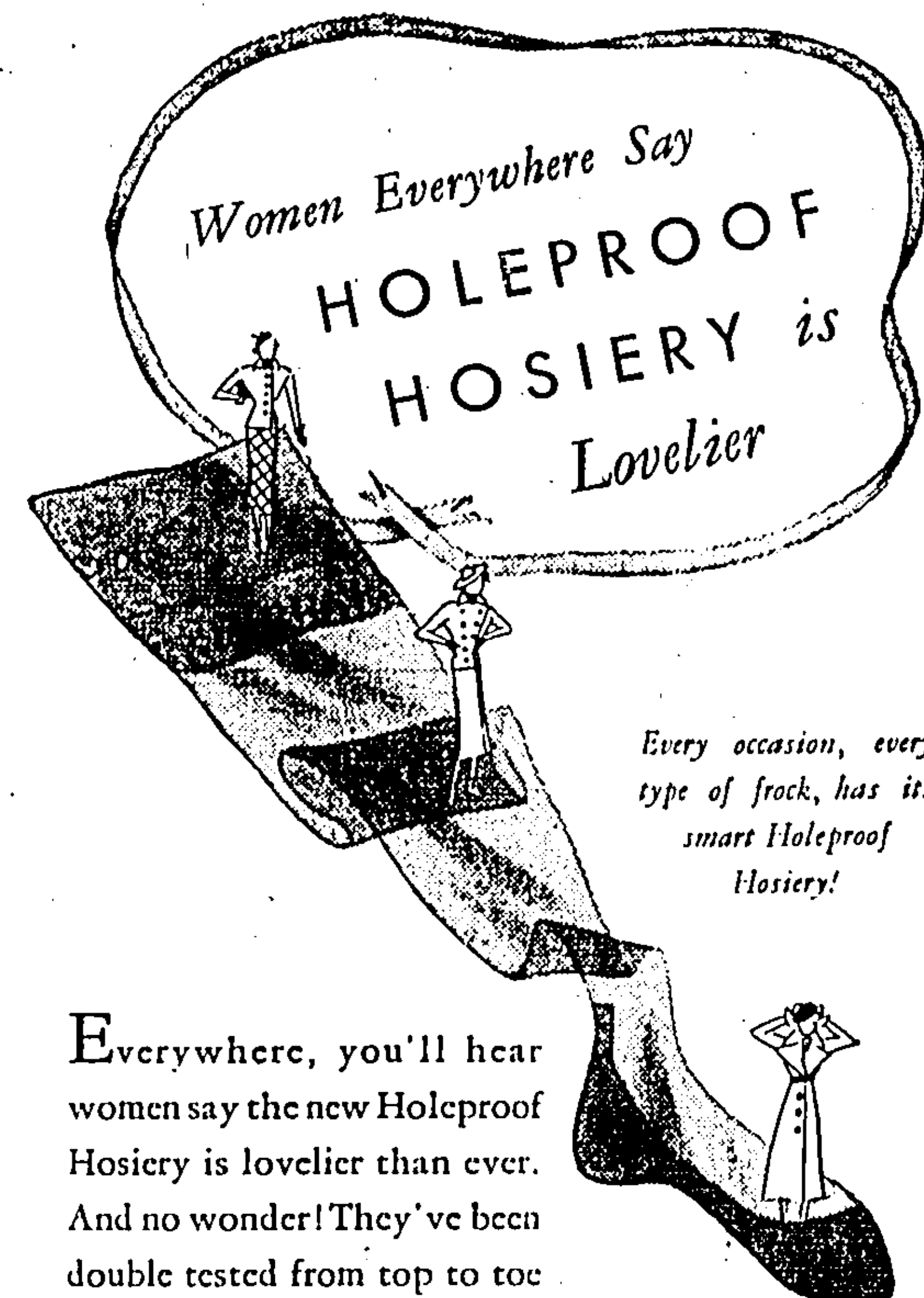
IN the English system there is no need for the Head of the State to advocate any particular policy in that way, but the tour which His Majesty has made through the depressed area of South Wales would give a wonderful opportunity of placing before the public the realities of that menacing problem free from any antagonisms of party feeling, and there is no reason whatever to suppose that His Majesty would have any objection. Anything objectionable in a newsreel would be subject to the scrutiny of the Censorship Board like any other incident, but that Board has taken the peculiar line of suppressing any introduction—other than the most formal, such as walking in a procession—of any royal person later than King Charles II. The absurd result had a very complete demonstration the other day in the last scene of the "White Angel." The whole film, of which the greater part is excellent, leads up to the triumphant reception at Windsor by Queen Victoria. What really happened was that the Queen, who was a warm-hearted woman, received Florence Nightingale most graciously. She had been keenly interested in her work for the Army, in which the Queen took a very human interest, and gave her patronage to the Sisterhood of Nurses which subsequently did so much good work. This scene could easily have been produced with all due respect. Instead we have Miss Nightingale making her carefully prepared appeal to a picture on the wall, and addressing her peroration to empty air. The picture therefore lacks its proper denouement, and falls flat. "Mary of Scotland" was not at all like Katherine Hepburn, but there was at least the resemblance that they were both made of flesh and blood.

Governorships

TIMES have indeed changed since the old days when the office of Colonial Governor was the perquisite of a small number of men who constituted the most specialised profession in the world—men like Lord

Loch, Lord Rosmead, and so on, who spent their lives representing the British Crown in far-flung parts of the world. In Ireland Mr. De Valera's avowed object was to make the Governor "a rubber stamp," and it is expected that in the new constitution that is to be produced this month the office will disappear altogether. Hong Kong has certainly no reason to regret the new system of appointing Governors who have already gained experience in the service of the Colonial Office. Australia made rather a song about the appointment of Sir Isaac Isaacs, formerly the Chief Justice, without the preliminary of a visit to Buckingham Palace, but nobody was conscious of any political earthquake, and Sir Isaac recently dined with His Majesty on relinquishing his post. It was in South Africa that there was the greatest chance of friction, because the Governor-General there, having various Native Territories to administer, was always regarded as the political representative of the British Government. The duties of Governor—acting on the advice

of the Executive Council—and High Commissioner—acting on the instructions of the Secretary for the Colonies—have now been separated, and the nomination of Mr. Patrick Duncan by General Hertzog is a memorable event, particularly because the extremists have always demanded that a South African should be chosen. Mr. Duncan is selected "as a South African." He is a very able man, who went out with Lord Milner at the end of the Boer War and organised the Johannesburg Municipality, the lack of which was one of the Uitlander grievances. Subsequently he has been one of the leaders of the English-speaking party, though never a partisan. He was in General Smuts's Coalition Government, and has for several years been one of the Ministers of the present Coalition. But a more typical Scotsman could not be found, and his acceptance "as a South African" is quite contrary to the old racial denial of that name to anyone not at least born in the country. He has won everybody's confidence, and is an ideal selection. —COMMENTATOR.



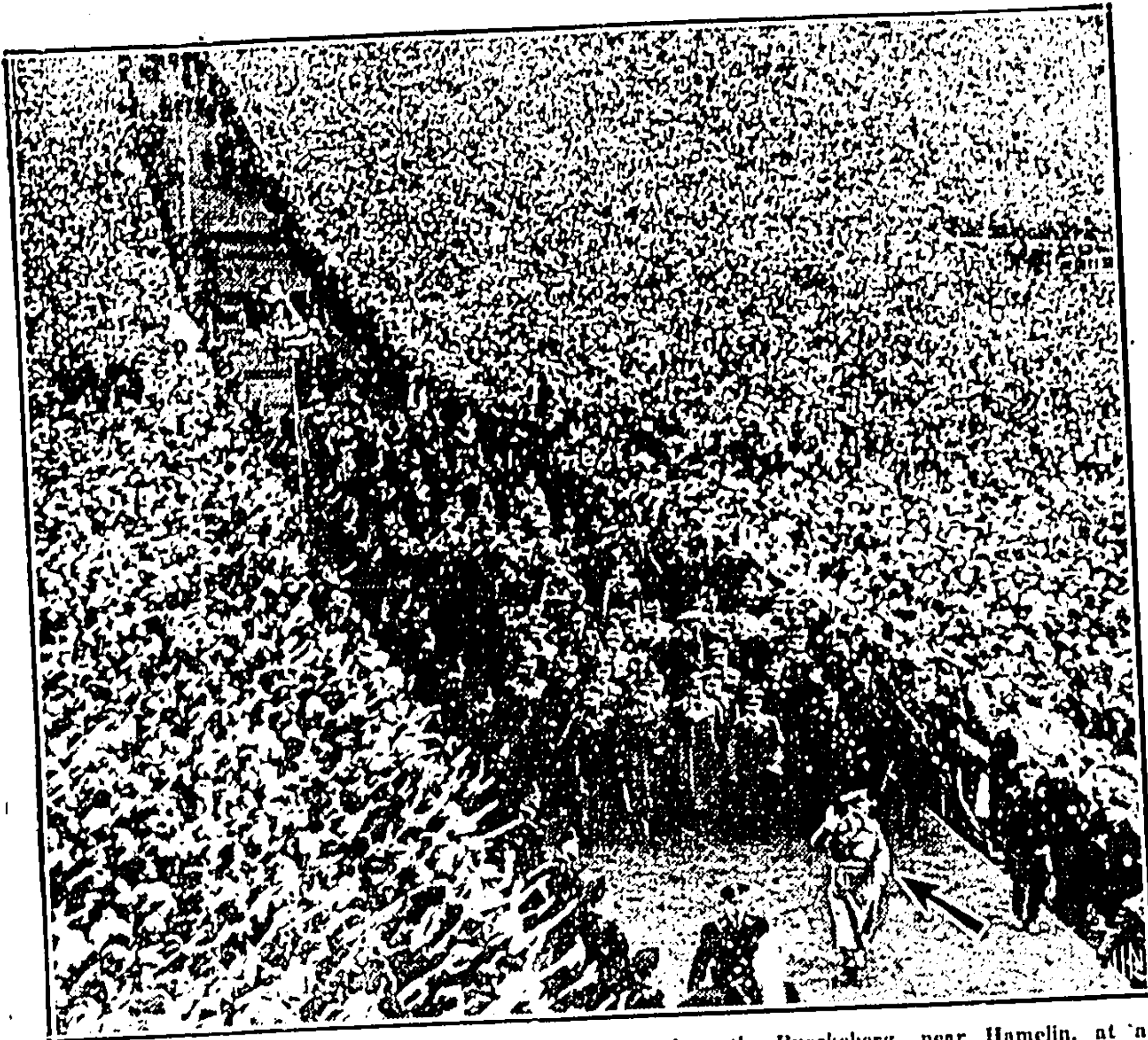
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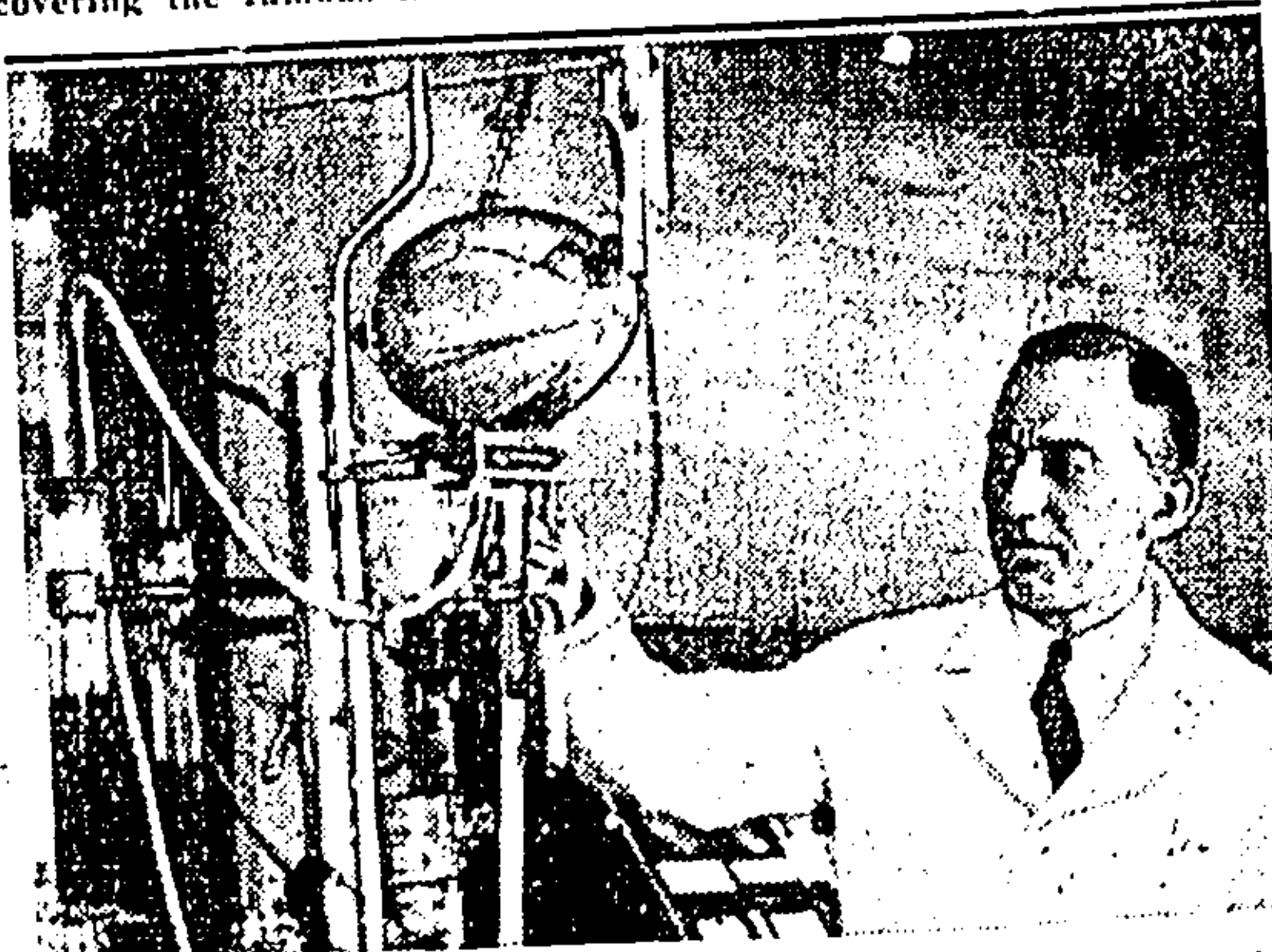
More than a million farmers and peasants massed on the Buckeberg, near Hameln, at a harvest festival last month to greet Reichsleiter Adolf Hitler (arrow). This striking picture shows a solid mass of Germans covering the famous hill.



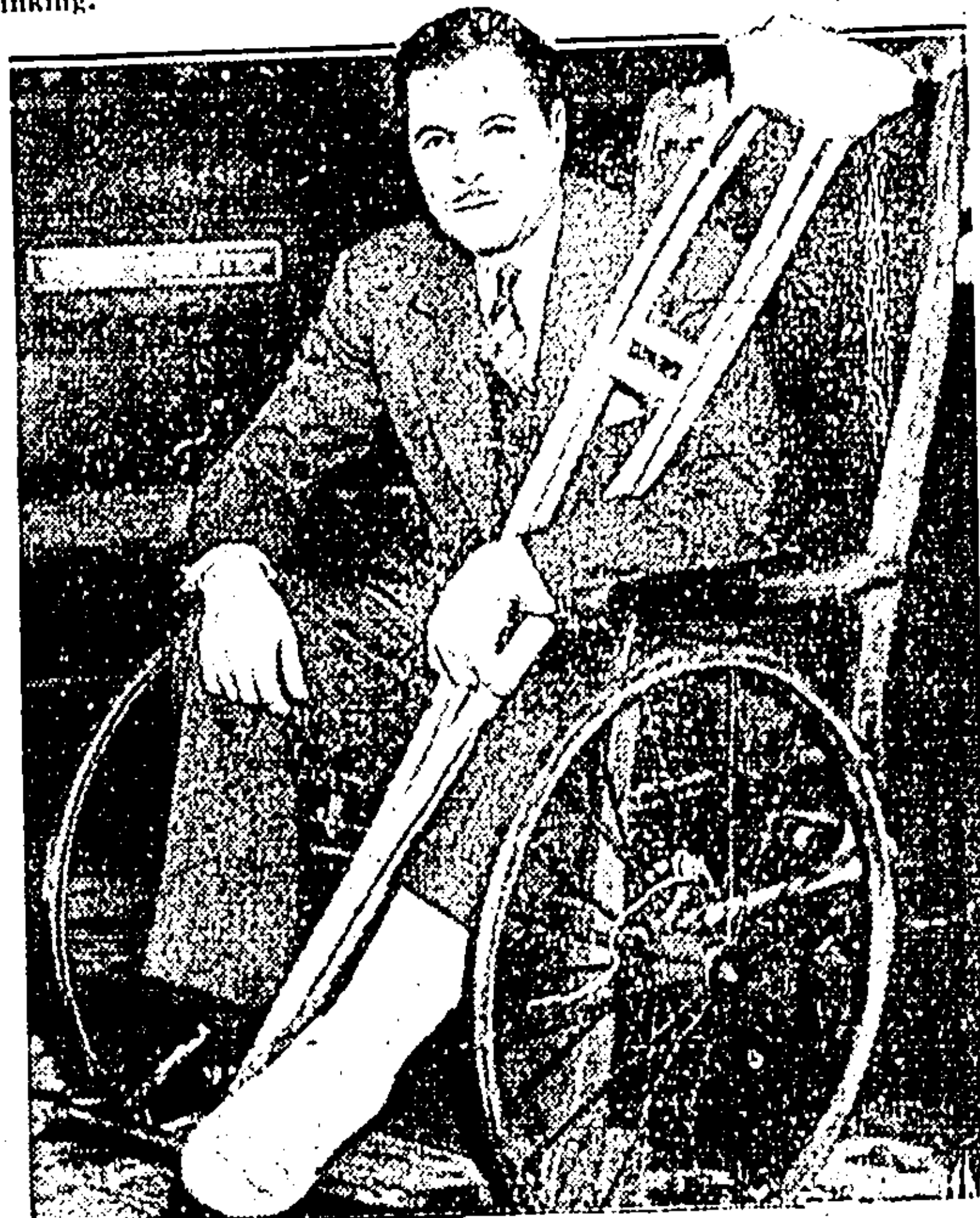
Franciska Gaul, the famous Hungarian actress, is here pictured as she arrived in New York last month for her tour of America.



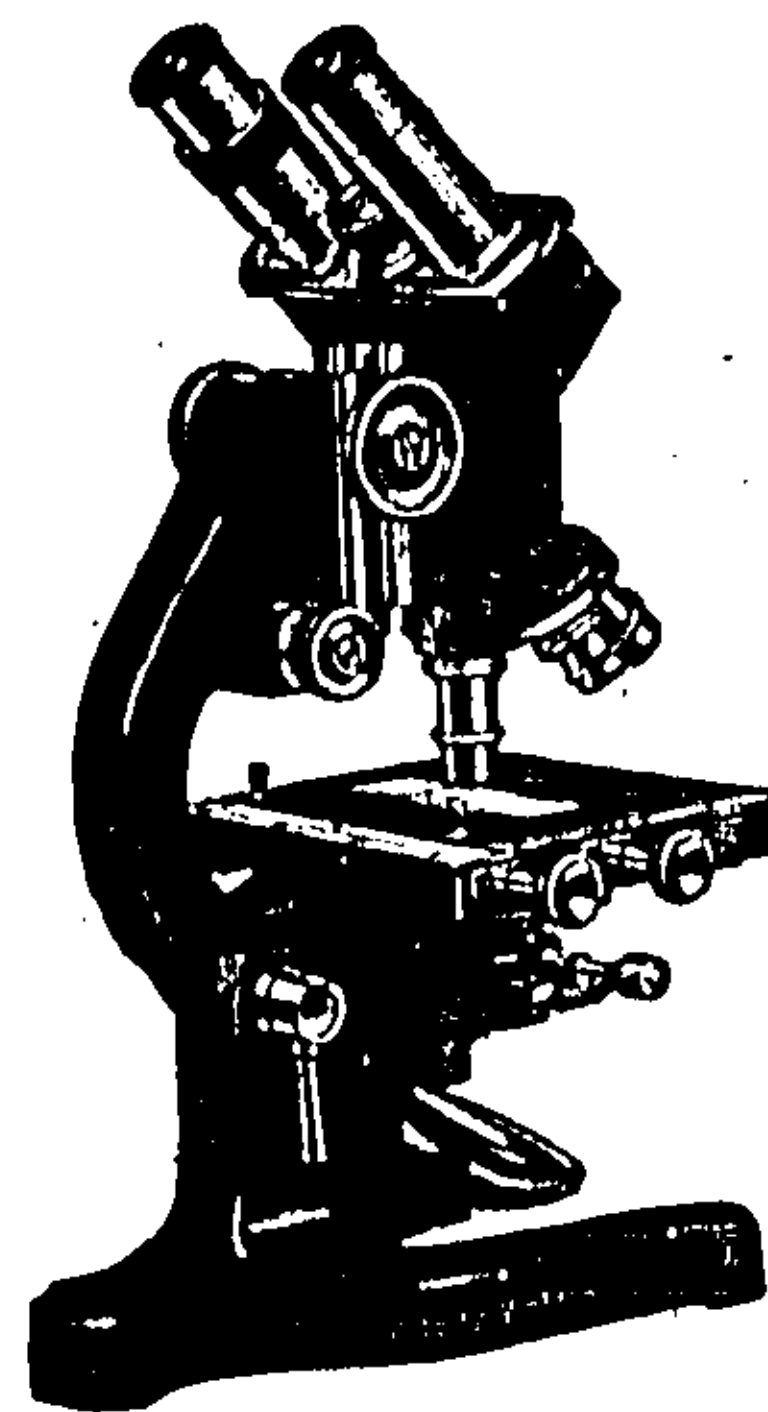
Prof. Albert Einstein is here shown as he addressed the convocation of the University of the State of New York at Albany, where he branded as pseudo scientific any linking of Darwin's theory with that of "destructive competition."



Surgeons from all parts of America and from foreign lands, in a convention at Philadelphia, showed keen interest in a glass brain perfected by Dr. Temple Fay and Dr. W. E. Chamberlain of Temple University. Dr. Chamberlain is here pictured with the brain that has been described as a mechanism that makes plain the functioning of the human brain, in practically every detail but thinking.



"We got a seven-point elk—so my trip was no failure," declared Warner Baxter, the screen actor, as he was assisted from a train in Los Angeles, suffering from a broken leg sustained while hunting deer in Colorado. A 35-mile pack trip was necessary before medical aid could be reached.



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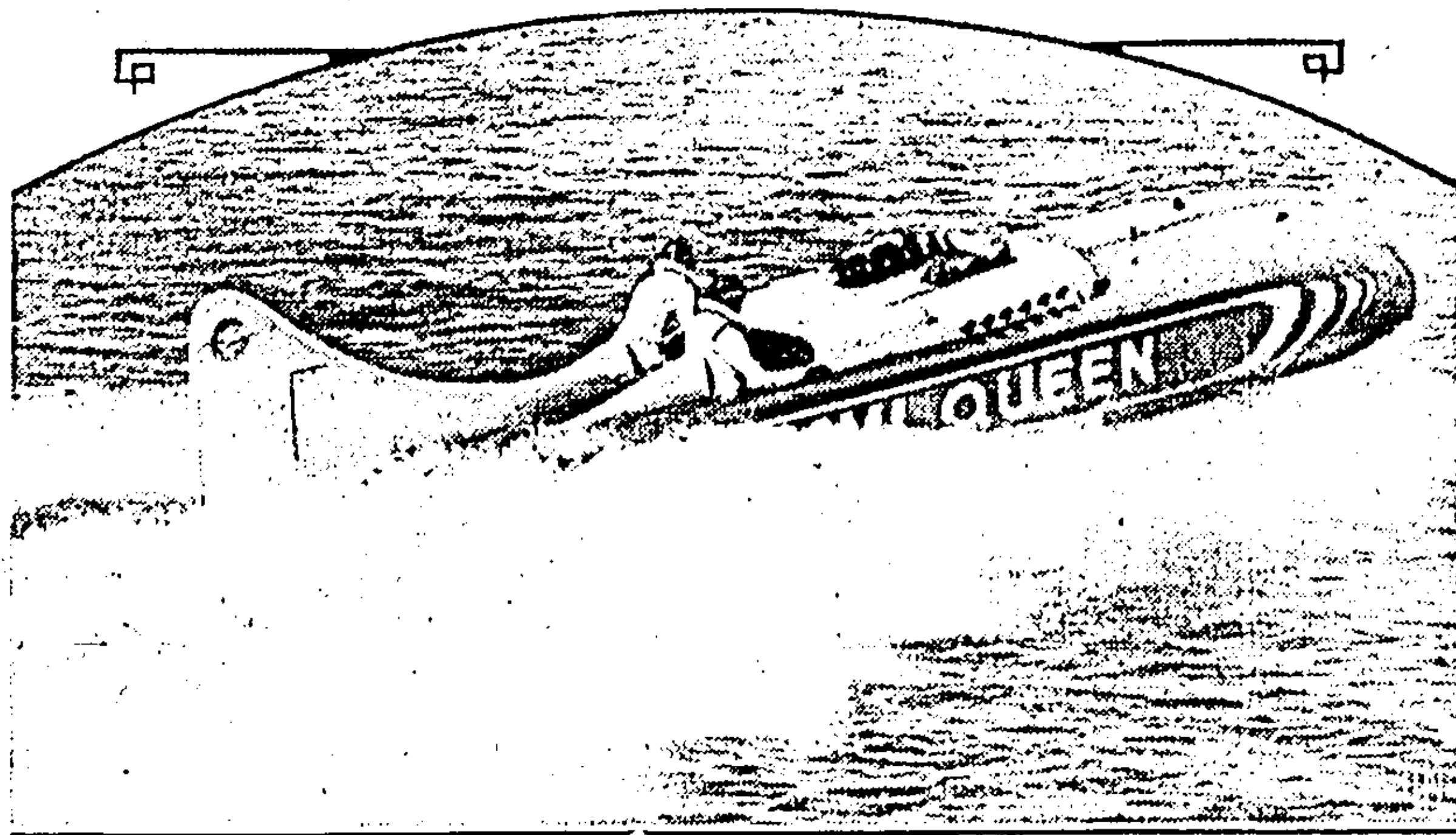
ONE of the grand old men of sport in the Colony one who had much to do with the training of the Chinese representatives at the earlier Far Eastern Olympic Games, returned to the Colony recently. He is Mr. J. L. MacPherson, who was for many years, and is still, I believe, a Director of the European Y.M.C.A.

Promising Lady Hockey Player
MRS. KIDGELL, of the Royal Welch Fusiliers' Ladies, who only took up hockey recently, has shown great improvement already and should, with proper coaching and training, develop into one of the best backs in the Colony.

CALL TO RUGBY STANDARD

IT is a curious thing, but very few if any schools in China, with the exception of the Shanghai Thomas Hanbury School, formerly known as the Shanghai Public School take up Rugby. In Malaya, just the opposite is the case. The Malays and Chinese and European schools have taken to the sport and one often hears of the Singapore "A" fifteen being beaten by a School side. It is about time the sport branched out or made progress in the Colony!

Mrs. Henry Playing In Straits
MRS. A. B. HENRY, who formerly played for the "Y" Ladies in the Caer Clark Cup series as a left-half, and who is at present in Singapore, played for the European Ladies against the Rest in the recent Poppy Day match. Ladies' hockey in the Straits is at present gaining in popularity.



Powered with two 12-cylinder motors which develop 900 horsepower, the Miami Queen is here shown gliding along Biscayne Bay in an inaugural test run. Louis Nuta, the Italian designer-pilot, did not let the boat, which he expects will make 150 miles an hour, do more than 80 in the test. He hopes to shatter Commodore Gar Wood's record of 124.86 miles an hour, made in 1932 in Miss America X. With Nuta in the picture is Ted Ramsay, the Miami News Service representative.

Local Boy Doing Well

ROBERT BRUCE PARKINSON, the young son of Mr. Parkinson of the Harbour Office, who went Home for his schooling early in the year, is already making a name for himself in Dumfries Academy. He has excelled at cricket and soccer, being regarded as one of the most promising youngsters in the Academy, while he has also taken up golf.

No Flash In The Pan

BOMBARDIER Baker, who scored 93 against the Navy in the local cricket League last Saturday, represented the Army while he was stationed at Gibraltar, where he was one of their best batsmen.

Mrs. Read Will Be Missed

I hear that Mrs. Maude Read, former Colony Cross-Harbour swimming champion, and one of the stalwarts of the Ladies' Section of the European Y.M.C.A. Swimming Section, will be away from the Colony next year. Her absence will be keenly felt at the aquatic galas, while she is at present the centre-forward of the "Y" Ladies' Caer Clark Cup hockey team.

Lt. Hamilton At Liverpool

LIEUT. J. R. C. Hamilton, or "Hammy" as he was very popularly known to Rugger enthusiasts, is now stationed at Liverpool, England, where he has taken part in several matches for the Battalion with which he is now stationed.



Presaging the coming of Winter, Maribel Vinson, one of the world's famous graceful skaters, is here shown cutting a fancy caper on the ice at one of New York's indoor rinks last month.

By the Judge

ARRANGEMENTS are now being made for the annual soccer game between the Machine-Gun Battalion and the Coast Defence of the Volunteers and a good game should be witnessed as both teams will be able to field strong sides. The former have the White brothers, Forrow, Drown and most of the Kowloon players, while the Coast Defence have five of St. Joseph's team and several of the Club players, including Hill, E. Strange and Fogwell, at their disposal.



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The Royal Ulster Rifles' Ladies, above, proved too good for the "Y" Ladies in the Brawn Cup series last Saturday. ("Herald" photo).



The St. Andrew's Ladies, above, were beaten last Saturday by Hong Kong Ladies. ("Herald" photo).

Cricket At C.B.S.

D. McLELLAN and W. Mulcahy are spending a good deal of their spare time coaching the boys at the Central British School at cricket. Two members of the school team, Kenneth and Warwick Shute, put in nets practice at the Civil Service Cricket Club, where they are receiving some valuable advice from members.

Interport Cricketer Transferred

CAPT. D. W. PERSSE, the Interport and Army cricketer, left the Colony, on transfer, to Singapore during the week. He intends to keep up with his cricket at his new station and hopes also to play a certain amount of hockey if time permits.

Playing For St. John's

MISS GLADYS LOUIS DOIG, whose engagement to Mr. Thomas John McCluskie-Beattie was recently announced, told me at the Registrar's Office last week that she will be turning out for St. John's Club in the Mixed Doubles Badminton League.

New Hockey Tournament?

PLANS are now being discussed regarding the organisation of a combined Services and Police hockey tournament, in which each team will meet their opponents twice—at home and away.

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First Lieutenant John M. Sterling, of New York, who set a new record in the event to win the annual Mitchell trophy race at Mount Clemens, Michigan, last month, is here shown at the completion of the event. Flying one of the new PB-2 type pursuit planes, Sterling averaged 217.346 miles an hour for the 100 miles.

Try To Take It Easy

TAY QUEE-LIANG, the South China "A" left winger, is still nursing an ankle injury. He is now much better, but as he is not urgently required in the team he intends taking as much rest as he can.

Cheek Not To Play So Often

CHEUK SHEK-KAM, one of the reserves of the All-China soccer team, has not enjoyed the best of health since his return from Europe and will not be playing so often for the South China "B" team.

Bad Luck On Club Juniors

THE HONG KONG FOOTBALL Club juniors are unfortunate in not being able to retain the same team each week owing to injuries in the first team. There are several good players in the team, among whom are Walkden, Milne, Stone, Fisher and Sloan, all of whom are well above the average Second Division player.



Miss Jean Dalziel in possession during the match last Saturday in which Hong Kong Ladies beat St. Andrew's. ("Herald" photo).

Keeping Fit For Swimming

F. J. ANSLOW, the Y.M.C.A. short-distance swimmer, is keeping fit during the cold weather by going for long walks during week-ends and whenever he can find the time to do so.

Wilson Recovering Quickly

G. WILSON, the Assistant Superintendent of Police, who broke his ankle in a Rugger match some weeks ago, is making very rapid progress towards recovery, but it is feared that he will not be playing Rugger again for some time. He is one of the mainstays of the Police hockey team and his absence from the side will be very keenly felt.

Interporter Turns Coach

"NOBBY" CLARK, the former Interport football goalkeeper, is now looking after the training of the Police football teams. He takes the seniors out every Wednesday and the junior team on Tuesdays, all the training being done on the Kowloon Football Club ground.

Promising Cricketer

THE Ellis Kadoorie School for Indians have in Naranjan Singh, a very promising right-hand medium-to-fast bowler. This youngster has been doing remarkably well in all the School's cricket matches, and is now being taken in hand by their Sports Master, Mr. A. Bakar. With so able a coach he should develop into a more than useful bowler.

Jockey Club Recruit?

Q. R. SADICK, who has only just taken up cricket this year, is also one of the season's new "Jockeys" and is now taking lessons at the Hong Kong Riding School. He is very keen on it and it is understood that he hopes, in time, to take up racing.

C.R.C. Cricket Stalwart

THIS talk about the revival of cricket at the Chinese Recreation Club reminds me that they still have amongst their members some of their former cricketing stalwarts, among them being Ng Sze Kwong, H. Ching, Un Hew Fan, K. L. Chau. In addition they can call on the services of the three Hung brothers and Tsui Wai-pui, who used to be one of the best all-rounders of his time at Queen's College.

INTERPORT RUGBY HOPES

THERE is no further news available about the probable visit of a Malayan Rugby football team to the Colony. On the recent visit to Singapore of the H.K. Area swimming team, one of the Officers attached to the team approached the Malaya Command Rugby body, who welcomed the idea if it was feasible.

Tsui Ah-fai Going North

TSUI AH-FAI, the all-China soccer player and former Athletic pivot who has now joined the Kowloon Chinese, will only be available for a few games as he will be going to Shanghai to join the Air Force there.

Second Title For Grimmit

A. W. GRIMMIT beat M. Raku in the final of the Lawn Bowls Singles Championship of the Civil Service Cricket Club recently to register his second consecutive win.

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(Above) Two mannequins at the recent Fashion Show at the Gloucester Hotel in aid of the Society for the Protection of Children. The lady on the right is wearing a Maizee's creation. ("Herald" photos).

(Top right) Four charming ladies who attended the recent Fashion Show at the Gloucester Hotel. ("Herald" photo).



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(Left) Paymaster-Lieutenant C. H. A. Harper deservedly won first prize among the gentlemen at the recent Bal Masque. Surely you can recognise "Harpo," one of the Marx Brothers. (King's Studio).

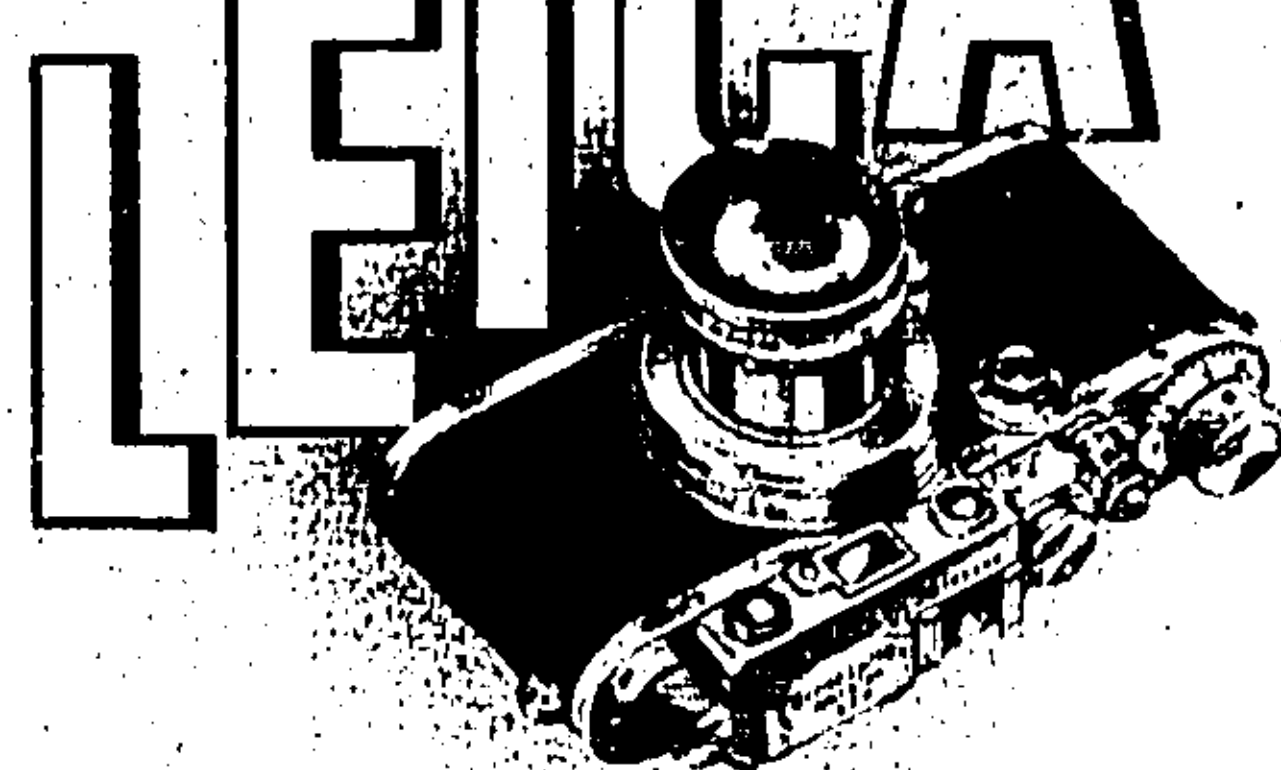


(Right) Mr. Lam Chi-fung was recently the recipient of the insignia of a Chevalier of the Imperial Order of the Dragon of Annam. (King's Studio).

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OPERATIONS HELD UP BY WEATHER

2,000 FRENCH SOCIALISTS ARRIVE TO FIGHT FOR REDS

Madrid, Yesterday. There was reduced military activity round the capital yesterday, largely owing to the bad weather. The spasmodic fighting in the vicinity of the model prison was mostly confined to rifle and machine-gun fire and occasional artillery salvos. There was no appreciable change in the military position and no air raids. A message from Avila states that snowstorms are raging to the north of Madrid in the Guadarrama Mountains and around Escorial and the Gredos Mountains. The snow is 20 inches deep in some places, and the operations have been temporarily upheld. According to a message from Barcelona the Prado Museum at Madrid was bombed and set on fire by incendiary bombs dropped by insurgent aeroplanes, according to an announcement by the Generalitat. — Reuter.

Madrid: The Defence Committee, in a communiqué, claims that the violent fighting in the University City sector on Thursday ended in the Government's capturing all the buildings occupied by the Moroccan troops. Insurgent counter-attacks yesterday morning were repulsed with considerable losses, and eight insurgent planes were brought down in air battles in Madrid yesterday.

ANTONIO PRIMO DE RIVERA EXECUTED

Exceptional Reprisals May Be Expected

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Paris, Yesterday. Senor Antonio Primo de Rivera, son of the late Spanish dictator, was executed yesterday morning by a Red shooting squad in the prison yard at Alicante gaol, where he had been interned, after having been sentenced to death by the Red People's Tribunal. The Spanish Fascists, it will be recalled, had warned the Premier, Senor Largo Caballero, that exceptional reprisals would be taken if the death sentence on Senor Primo de Rivera were executed. — Trans-Ocean Service.

ANTI-GOD IN RUSSIA

AMAZING APPEAL PUBLISHED

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Zurich, Yesterday. The ruthless methods advocated by the Soviet Russian godless movement in the war against the churches is shown by the latest appeal which has been issued to the godless associations throughout the world by the leader of the Soviet Russian movement, M. Joroslowski, and is published by a local correspondent here.

The appeal declares: "We want to destroy by fire churches throughout the world. Our godless movement has become a tremendous movement, whose task it is to stifle all religious feeling. Our movement represents only a partial aspect of the class war conducted by the Communist Internationale against capitalism and the bourgeoisie. We must therefore intensify the godless movement and blow up the foundations of the old world. No power on earth will be able to save the capitalist world from destruction." — Trans-Ocean Service.

MINE TAKEN IN ABYSSINIA

Italians Encounter Little Opposition

Rome, Yesterday. Official messages from Addis Ababa report that an Italian force has occupied the province of Jimma, while another column has taken possession of the Juvo platinum mine in the centre of the Wollaga district, 35 miles north of Gore. Practically no opposition was encountered. — Reuter.

LEAGUE COVENANT PRINCIPLES

London, Yesterday. — The Estonian Government has sent the Secretariat of the League of Nations a memorandum on the application of Article XVI of the Covenant, and the Belgian communication concerning the application of the principles of the Covenant. — British Wireless Service.

Seville: An official insurgent broadcast claims that the insurgents occupied the high ground in the University City and repulsed with heavy losses the Government counter-attacks, mostly by columns composed entirely of foreigners.

Barcelona: Some 2,000 French Socialists, including women, arrived yesterday to fight for the Government. — Reuter's Bulletin Service.

Only "Child's Play"

Paris: About 600 people were killed and many others injured during the bombardment of Madrid by 20 three-engined Nationalist bombing planes on Thursday afternoon, according to messages arriving here, which add that frightful havoc has been caused in the capital by exploding bombs, the detonation of which was heard within a radius of 40 kilometres. The raiders dropped 60 tons of bombs over the districts near the northern railway station, the Royal Palace, the War Office and the Toledo quarter.

One of the bombs struck two fully-crowded trams. The unfortunate passengers of the two cars were literally torn to pieces and the cars were completely demolished.

The Nationalist military authorities hope that the demoralising effect of the continuous aerial bombardments will play an important part in convincing the Reds of the uselessness of further resistance. Pamphlets dropped by the Nationalist planes during the raids on Thursday warned the Reds that the aerial bombardments already carried out were but "child's play, compared to what is yet to come." — Trans-Ocean Service.

LEAGUE SHOULD BE CONVENED

Opinion Expressed In Geneva

DECISION REQUIRED

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Geneva, Yesterday. The convocation of the League of Nations Council is demanded by the *Journal des Nations* to elucidate the situation created through the recognition of the Spanish Nationalist Government by Germany and Italy, "since the decision as to which of the Spanish delegations is to be admitted when the commission for the reform of the League meets on December 7 cannot be left to the League's door attendants."

The paper considers that the recognition of the Spanish Nationalist Government by Germany and Italy is a more serious matter and a greater threat to peace than certain previous occasions, such as the rupture of diplomatic relations between two countries which caused the League to take action.

It is asserted, however, that League quarters have not been surprised by the German and Italian step, which was regarded as



Fritz Marquardt, a steward on the Berlin, is here shown being examined by Dr. Joseph von Geyr, of the Europa. Marquardt swallowed his false teeth while the Berlin was outward bound for Germany. Needing surgical treatment, he was transferred to the New York-bound Europa while the vessels were off the Newfoundland Grand Banks. Marquardt fully recovered.

BRITAIN TAKES FIRM STAND

NO SEARCH BY INSURGENT SHIPS WILL BE TOLERATED

London, Yesterday. It is understood that Britain will not tolerate any action by General Franco's warships outside the three-mile limit, which it would be only suicide for him to try under belligerent rights. This means that the search of British ships on the high seas by insurgent Government warships will not be tolerated. The right to search within territorial waters is rather obscure. Apparently the Spanish Government, as such, is entitled to stop and search British ships within the three-mile limit, but Britain will not submit to search by General Franco, either within or without territorial waters, inasmuch as he does not represent for Britain a recognised Government.

Emphasising Britain's decision to stand by the Spanish non-intervention agreement Mr. Anthony Eden, Foreign Secretary, speaking at Leamington yesterday, said: "Because someone who should be a fireman takes a hand in feeding the flames that is no reason why the whole fire brigade should leave their posts and join in fanning Europe into a furnace. Our decision was the right one and we mean to maintain it." — Reuter.

FRENCH UNCERTAINTY

Paris: The French uncertainty as to the future trend of her policy regarding the Spanish conflict is reflected in an article by a writer on political affairs in the *Oeuvre*, who declares that complete uncertainty as to what measures should be taken prevails in Government circles in both England and France.

England, the article continues, is evidently inclined to leave France to her own devices, since England's main interest in the threatened blockade of Mediterranean harbours seems to be directed towards securing a promise from General Franco that a free zone will be maintained for her ships. France, however, possesses no such attitude of disinterestedness and would prefer not to recognise a blockade threat, but it appears now as though the critical international situation had forced France to act only in complete agreement with England. — Trans-Ocean Service.

RIGHT OF BLOCKADE

London: In commenting on the position created by a communication from Burgos, the newspapers emphasise that the threat to bombard is a very different thing from the declaration of a blockade. The right of blockade under international law only exists after recognition of belligerent rights, and even then only conditionally *inter alia* on the blockade being effective. Incidentally the recognition of belligerent rights would not of itself involve the recognition of the Burgos authorities as a Government. — British Wireless Service.

a foregone conclusion and which, in any case, is taken to be a lesser or evil than would have been Italy's official resignation from the League on the anniversary of the day of the opening of sanctions, which had been feared by some people. — Trans-Ocean Service.

NEGOTIATIONS MAY BE SUSPENDED

JAPAN'S REAL ATTITUDE IN SUIYUAN SOUGHT

SPECIAL CHINESE INVESTIGATORS TO MAKE ENQUIRIES

(From A Special Correspondent)

Canton, Yesterday. It is stated in well-informed circles that the Chinese Government will temporarily suspend the negotiations on the Sino-Japanese relations, until the Japanese Government shows its real attitude towards the Suiyuan situation. Rumours are current in foreign circles that the eighth meeting between Mr. Chang Chun, the Chinese Minister, and Mr. S. Kawagoe, the Japanese Ambassador to China, will be held on Monday next, but this is not confirmed by Chinese official circles.

Mr. Tuan Mao-lan, Secretary to the Chinese Foreign Minister, will fly to Peking to-day and there he will meet Mr. Ko Chung-mu, Director of Asia Bureau of the Chinese Foreign Ministry, who already left Nanking by train early this morning. It is reliably learned that Messrs. Ko and Tuan have been appointed special delegates to investigate the question of whether the invasion of Suiyuan Province by the Manchuria-Mongolian bandits is actually supported by the Japanese authorities or not. They will go to Suiyuan together from Peking by the Peking-Suiyuan Railway.

It is reported that during the Japanese Cabinet meeting yesterday, Mr. Arita, the Japanese Foreign Minister, reported that the real attitude of the Chinese Government towards the Sino-Japanese relations will be definitely understood after the coming eighth meeting between the Chinese Foreign Minister and the Japanese Ambassador. As for the Suiyuan problem, it has nothing to do with Japan. If the troubles should spread wide enough to violate Manchurian or Japanese interests, the Japanese Government will not confine itself to the role of a bystander.

EXHIBITION OF PAINTINGS

By Mr. Wong Siu Ling

Another exhibition of the work of one of the group of young Chinese artists who are painting in the Western style has been arranged by the Hong Kong Working Artists Guild and will be open to the public on December 2, 3 and 4, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., at the Hotel Cecil.

Mr. Wong Siu Ling was commissioned some time ago to do the mural decorations in the ball-room of the Hotel Cecil which have been very much admired both by Europeans and Chinese, and it adds to the interest of the exhibition of his paintings that it is being held in the ball-room.

A preview, to which a number of guests have been invited, is being held on December 1 from 4 to 6 p.m. His Excellency the Governor and Lady Caldecott have graciously consented to be present at the preview.

OLD OFFENDER SENTENCED

Whitfield Barracks Trespass

Admitting four previous convictions in 1934, two in 1935 and one a few months ago, an 18-year-old Indian lad, Abdul Niamat, was once again sentenced to six weeks' hard labour by Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday morning for trespassing in Whitfield Barracks last Friday.

The accused admitted that he had no permit to enter the barracks, and that of his seven previous convictions, five were for theft.

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London, Yesterday: M. Joseph Avenol, the Secretary-General of the League, has gone to Oxford, where will receive the degree of Doctor of Civil Law *honoris causa* to-day. — British Wireless Service.

ALBANIA AND ITALY

London, Yesterday: The Albanian Government has sent the League Secretariat for registration several agreements with the Italian Government dated March 19 and May 30, 1936. — British Wireless Service.

SOVIET RUSSIAN TRIAL

Grave Charges Against German Accused

Novosibirsk, Yesterday. Allegations that the German engineer Sticking and the other accused caused poison-gas to be released in many shafts of the Kuznets mines, causing the workers to "die like rats," were made by a witness at the second session of the trial for sedition, which opened on Thursday.

The prosecution introduced two groups of witnesses. One testified that the defendants' activities were limited to spreading disaffection among the workers and endeavouring to undermine the Stakhanov movement in the Western Siberian mines, and the other group of witnesses alleged that there was a link between Trotsky and the Nazis through Sticking, who was engaged "to organise a terrorist group, with the object of restoring capitalism, and introducing a Fascist regime into the Soviet." — Reuter.

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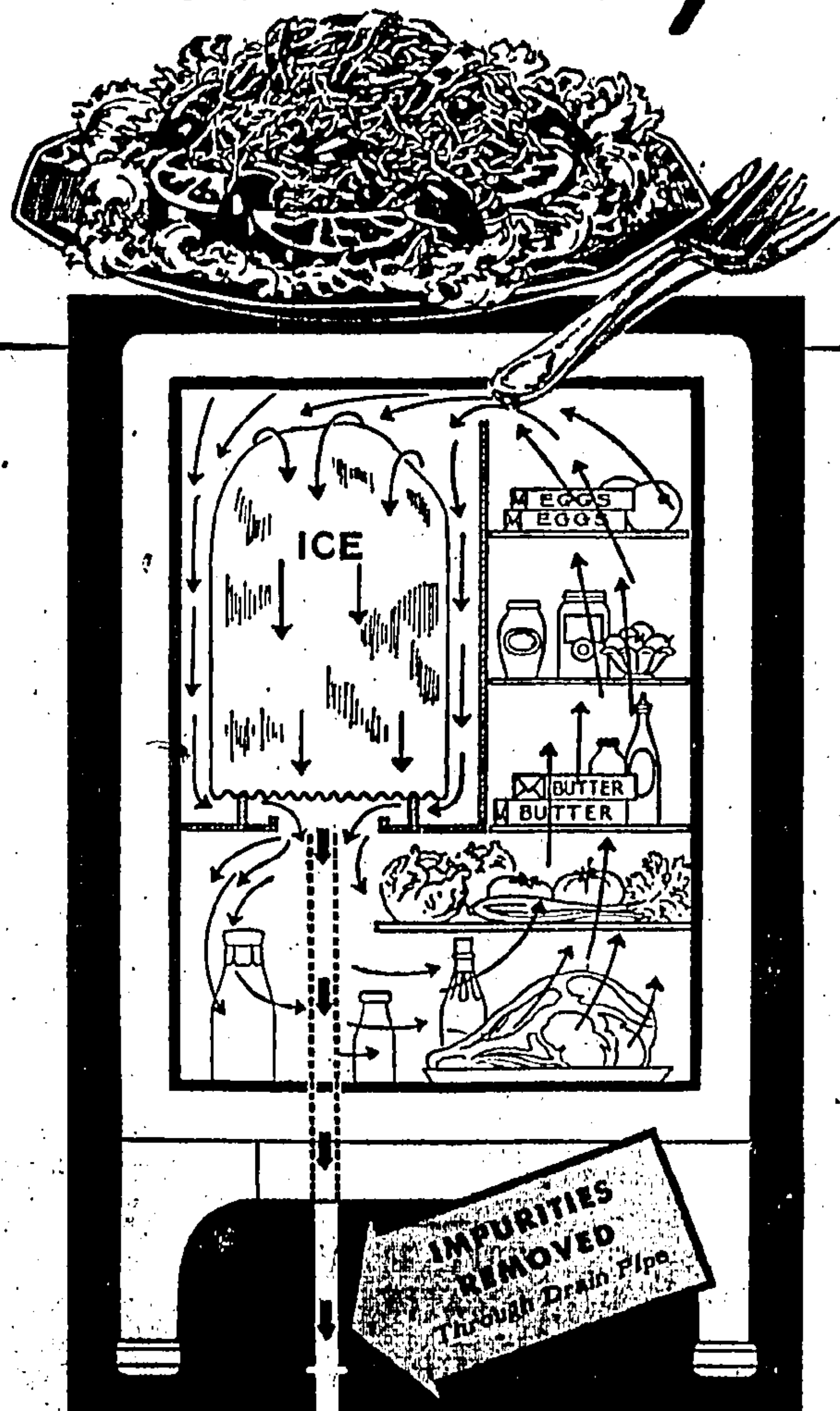
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BRIDGE NOTES

BY ELY CULBERTSON

Bad Defence Against A Squeeze

THE squeeze play is usually not ready prepared and waiting only for the Declarer to lead out his high cards and take advantage of the fortunate position of the outstanding honours. In the great majority of cases there can be no squeeze until certain preliminary plays have established the true squeeze position. Sometimes the Declarer may prepare for the squeeze without his adversaries having any chance to prevent it. In other cases correct defence would thwart the Declarer's plan, and he must try to mislead his opponents as to the intention of his plays so that they will not suspect an impending squeeze and take means to make it impossible.

In the hand below South seemed to be attempting to tempt his adversaries to make a certain play, which they refused to do. Actually, his only chance lay in his opponents' not making this play. East and West succeeded only in allowing an ideal squeeze

position to result.
East, dealer
Neither side vulnerable.

S 6 3 2
H 10 8 7 5
D 8 6 3
C A J 7
N S 4
W E H A K 2
D K Q 2 S D J 10 9 7 5
C K Q 8 4 S A K Q J 9 8 6
H J 4
D A 4
C 10 3

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs).

East	South	West	North
Pass	18	Pass	INT (1)
Pass	4S (2)	Pass	Pass

1—A minimum shaded one no-trump; North has the one-plus honour-trick that he needs and no more.

2—If North has as little as two Kings, South has an excellent chance to make four spades.

West opened the heart three, which East won with the King. East shifted to the Jack of diamonds and South let him win the trick, trying to make his oppo-



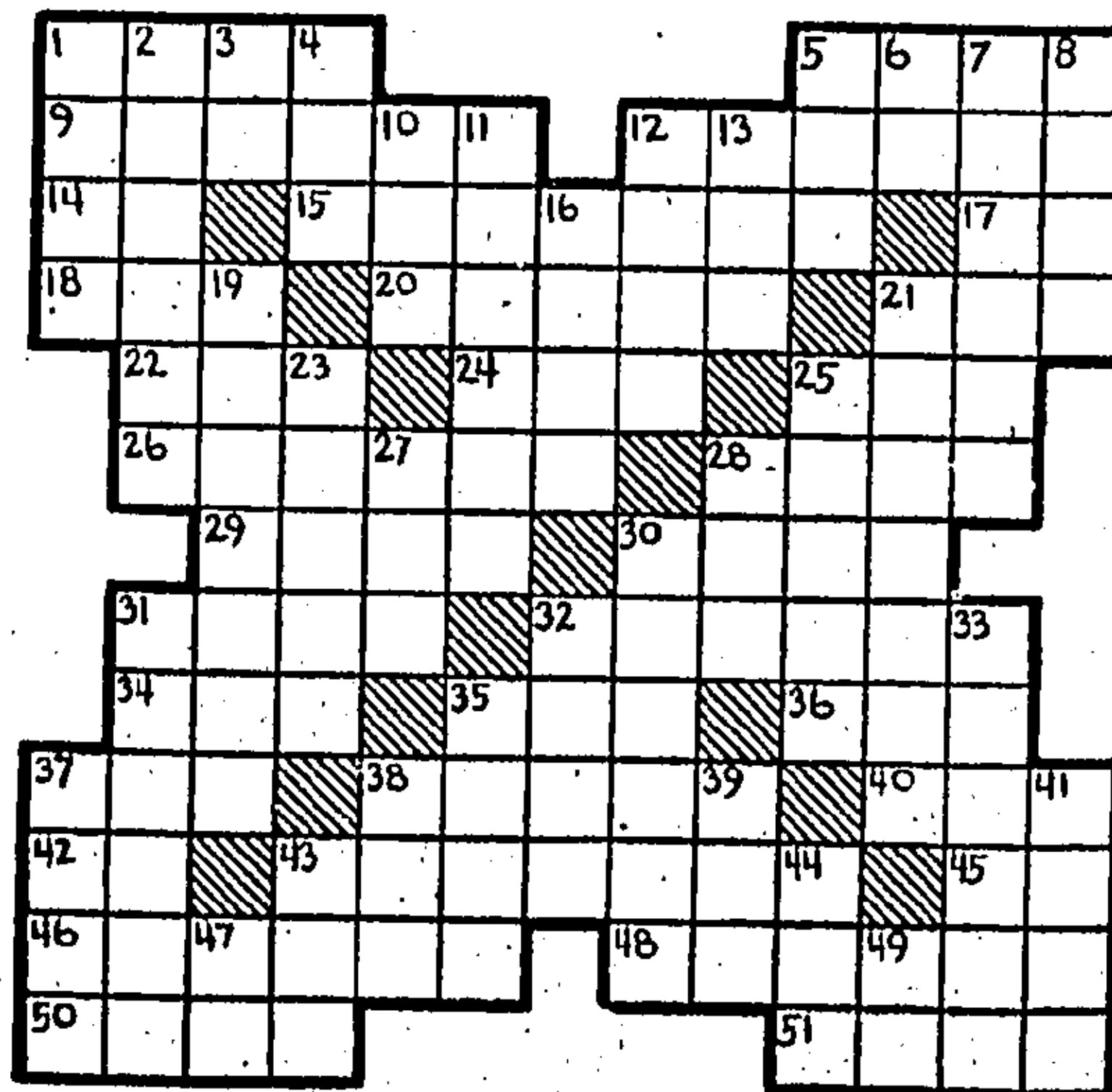
ponents think that he held more than one losing diamond. When East led a second diamond South won with the Ace and immediately played the Jack of hearts. West could not win this with the Queen for fear that the five of spades might be a hidden entry to Dummy, in which case a third heart lead would ruff out East's Ace and set up the heart Ten in Dummy for a discard. So West allowed East to win with his heart Ace. At this point, if East had shifted to a club, a squeeze would have been impossible because Dummy's only entry would have been forced out. But East thought it too dangerous to lead into a tenace, and continued with a diamond. South ruffed and ran the spade suit.

The fact that West held the only stopper in clubs and the only heart higher than Dummy's Ten now made it impossible for the game to be saved. By the time South had played out all his spades, West would be reduced to two cards. If he threw the heart Queen, it would establish Dummy's heart Ten; if he held the heart Queen and saved only one club, Dummy would win tricks with both the Ace and Jack. South therefore overcame the apparent necessity of losing a trick in clubs, gaining the several hundred points which a game was worth to him.

The fault in this hand was all East's. Though he had some reason to fear that South might hold the King and Ten of clubs, he should nevertheless have led fearlessly into Dummy's strong club holding. South's four-spade bid had practically guaranteed a solid suit, and East should have known that regardless of who held the club King, West would be unable to guard a club stopper and the Queen of hearts. If East had knocked out Dummy's Ace of clubs, the squeeze could not have worked because there would have been no entry to the Ten of hearts by the time West was forced to throw away his Queen.

OUR CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL

- 1—Canvas shelter
- 5—Military assistant
- 9—Consecrate
- 12—A relative
- 14—Red Cross (abbr.)
- 15—Father and mother
- 17—Prefix, Twice
- 18—To dress (slang)
- 20—Only in France
- 21—Preserve food
- 22—Fish eggs
- 24—Cover
- 25—Flying mammal
- 26—Large bird (pl.)
- 28—Contingency
- 29—Walked on
- 30—Harm
- 31—A vegetable
- 32—Resolute authority
- 34—Allow
- 35—A fish
- 36—Dance
- 37—A dance

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 38—An accessory seed covering (pl.)
- 40—Streets (abbr.)
- 42—Because
- 43—Old musical instrument (pl.)
- 45—Prefix indicating the dawn (Geol.)
- 46—Plural of atria
- 48—Harvesting machine
- 50—Russian title
- 51—Wish

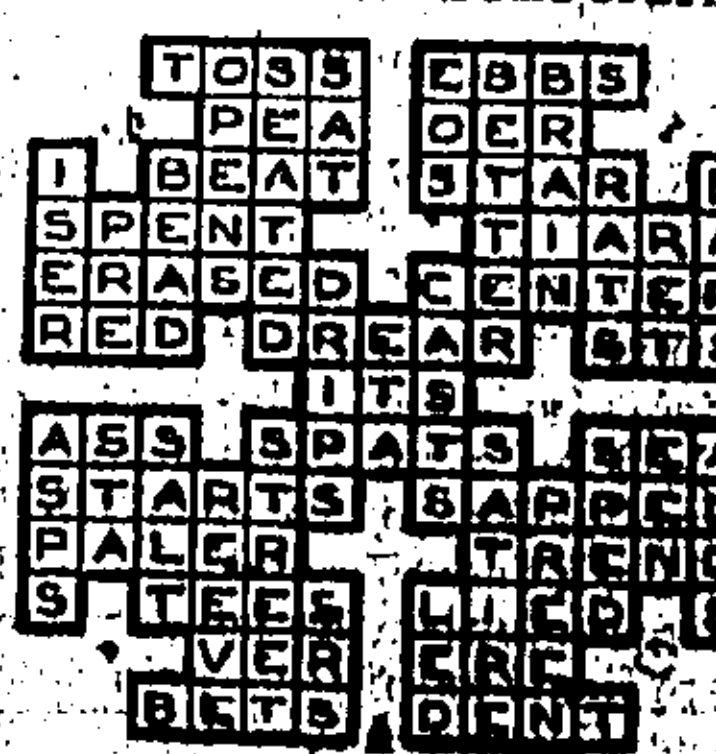
VERTICAL

- 1—Small pastry
- 2—Demand a repetition
- 3—Negative
- 4—End
- 5—Farm animal
- 6—Pronoun
- 7—Argue
- 8—Ireland
- 10—Dance
- 11—Tracked

VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 12—Clip
- 13—Pronoun
- 16—Epochs
- 19—Chin beard
- 21—A chessman (pl.)
- 23—A heron
- 25—Exposes
- 27—Portion
- 28—Young bear
- 30—Astralian coin
- 31—Rends in pieces by explosion
- 32—Check
- 33—A dress material
- 35—Large lake
- 37—Gone by
- 38—American Protective Association (abbr.)
- 39—Saints (abbr.)
- 41—Grade
- 43—A title
- 44—Observed
- 47—Egyptian god
- 49—Father

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| 41 Bentley's Code Book | Good Cabin Trunk |
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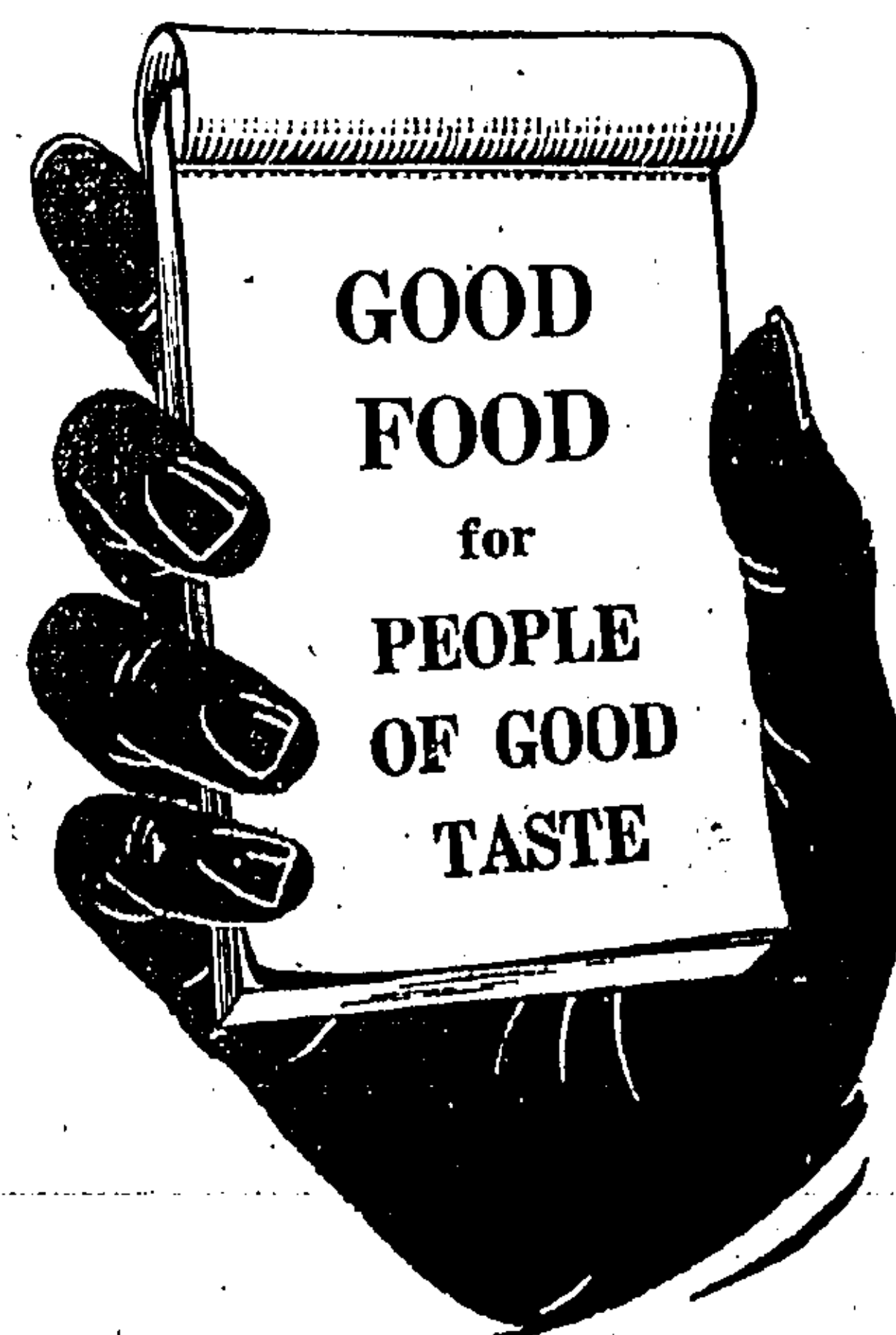
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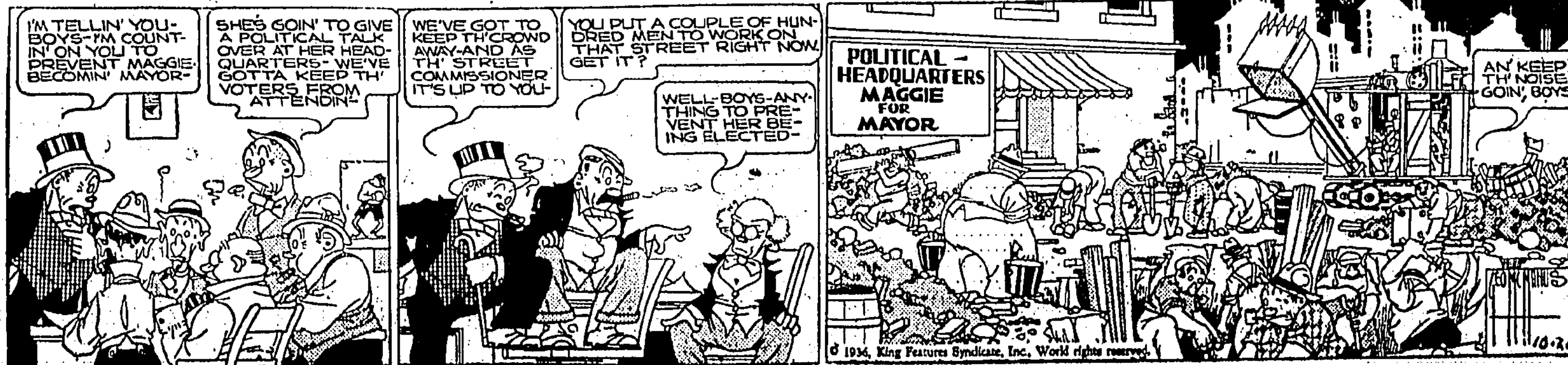
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Local Share Market

Messrs. Harriman's Weekly Report

Messrs. G. A. Harriman & Co.'s
 weekly share report and market
 review issued at noon yesterday
 states:—

The week under review has not
 been particularly noteworthy for
 any outstanding features in our
 market or in Manila. Following
 upon a period of stagnation, local
 shares eased off about the middle
 of the week, due, in part to Settle-
 ment liquidation, and also as an
 aftermath of the shaking-out given
 last week to Manila mining stocks.
 Subsequently rates steadied and
 the week ends with buyers pre-
 dominant and a definitely better
 tone prevailing all round. The
 same cannot be said of the Manila
 market, which is slow to recover
 from the knock administered to
 it a week ago. For the time be-
 ing buying interest here appears
 to have subsided, and to borrow a
 phrase from our American con-
 temporaries, the present tendency
 appears to be "to sell on bulges."
 However, mining shares will re-
 pay watching and particularly the
 producing companies, so that we
 would advise our readers to be
 prepared to come in and pick up
 bargains.

A considerable business has
 been transacted in our two Electric
 stocks. Hong Kongs were sold in
 quantity down to 61½, which
 price attracted buyers so that
 they close in good enquiry at 62.
 China Lights came under pressure
 and sold as low as 13 for cash.
 Buyers quickly appeared for this
 popular stock and they close
 at 13.50 bid, sellers asking 13.65.
 Telephones (old) have eased to a
 buying rate of 28.25 and the new
 to 10. Star Ferries were the
 medium of business at 92 and
 92.50. Hong Kong Trams drop-
 ped to 11.80, but rallied sharply
 to close 12.45 buyers. Wharfs
 exchanged at 108½ and 109,
 closing with sellers at the higher
 rate. Providents (old) were sold
 down to 1.00, but closed at
 1.85. A small parcel of Hong
 Kong Docks made 14. Cements
 have been a very active market,
 sales were made from 11.50 down
 to 10.60, closing in active en-
 quiry at 10.90. Ropes now offer
 at 33.30 and Canton Ices are
 wanted at 2.05 cum 3% dividend.
 Lands sold at 38.50, sellers over,
 but Humphreys have good buyers
 prepared to pay 39.40, or near of-
 fer. Hotels shaded off to 5.60,
 but met with good support which
 carried them back to 5.80 buyers
 closing. Ewos put on 1 to close
 at 11.75 buyers. Raubs sold as
 high at 13.70 on the improved
 interim dividend of 6d. (the last
 quarterly dividend was 4d).
 Sterling issues continue firm with
 Banks in demand at 1690 and
 Unions at 590 ex div.

Philippine mining shares are
 mostly easier after early firmness
 and the volume of business trans-
 acted in this section has shrunk
 quite appreciably. Antamoks sold
 at 36.55 and 36.40, and there are
 still good buyers for this first
 class dividend payer. Fair sized
 parcels of San Mauricos were
 sold from 4.90 down to 4 closing
 and Suyocs were dealt in in
 quantity at from 95 cts. to 85 cts.
 Demonstrations were supported
 early in the week up to 1.54, but
 the closing quotation is down
 again to 1.40 middle. Consolidat-
 ed Mines were in good enquiry
 round 7½, after sales higher,
 and both Atoks and Big Wedge
 kept steady throughout the week
 to close at 90 cts. and 76 cts. res-
 pectively. Masbate eased to sales
 at 72½ cts., Northern at 29 cts.
 and United Paracales at 22.45.

Concluding Comment
 Hong Kong market closes
 buoyant. Manila easy, trend un-
 certain.

TREASURY BILLS ISSUE

London, Yesterday.—The total
 amount applied for in tenders for
 \$50,000,000 worth of Treasury
 Bills was \$69,130,000. The maxi-
 mum amount was allotted in bills
 at three months. The average rate
 per cent. was 10/9.74d., as com-
 pared with 10/6.24d. last week.—
 British Wireless Service.

YESTERDAY'S QUOTATION

The following was the list of
 local share quotations issued
 yesterday.

Banks
 H.K. Bank \$1095 b.
 H.K. (Lon. Reg.) \$107½ n.
 Chartered Bank \$16¼ n.
 Mercantile Bank A. and B.
 \$32¼ n.
 Mercantile Bank C. \$14¼ n.
 Bank of East Asia \$83 n.

Insurances
 Canton Ins. \$265 b.
 Union Ins. \$588 b. X. Div.
 China Underwriters \$1 n.
 H.K. Fire Ins. \$255 n.
 International Asse. Sh. \$3¼ n.

Shipping
 Douglas's \$30 n.
 H.K. Steamboats \$6¼ n.
 Indo-Chinas (Prof.) \$35 n.
 Indo-Chinas (Def.) \$36 n.
 Shells (Bearer) 118/1½ n.
 Union Waterboats \$10¼ n.

Docks, etc.
 H.K. and K. Wharves \$109 n.
 H.K. and W. Docks \$13¼ b.
 13¼/14 n.
 Providents (Old) \$1¼ n.
 Providents (New) 20 cts. n.
 New Engineering Sh. \$4 n.
 Shanghai Docks Sh. \$81½ n.

Mining
 Kailan Mining Ad. 13/6 n.
 Raubs \$13.70 n.
 Venz. Goldfield \$6¼ b.

Lands, Hotels, etc.
 H.K. and S. Hotels \$5.65 n.
 H.K. Lands \$38¼ s.
 H.K. 4% Debentures 105½ n.
 Shanghai Lands Sh. \$13 n.
 Metropolitan Lands Sh. \$10 n.
 Humphreys \$9½ b.
 H.K. Realities \$5½ n.
 Chinese Estates \$78 n.
 China Realities Sh. \$4 n.
 China Debentures Sh. \$60 n.

PHILIPPINE MINING
 Closing Rates Sales
 10 a.m. Local
 in Pesos Currency

Antamoks 36
 Atoks 57
 Baguio Gold 27
 Benguet Mining 15¼
 Benguet Consol. 15
 Benguet Expl. 17¼
 Big Wedge 44
 Consolidated Mines 85
 Demonstrations 85
 Ipo Gold 24
 I. X. L. 165
 Rogons 165
 Masbate Consol. 43
 Northern Mining 19
 Paracale Gumaus 55
 Salacot Mining 66
 San Mauricio 260
 Suyoc Consol. 49
 United Paracales 145

Public Utilities
 H.K. Tramways \$12.45 b.
 Peak Trams (old) 66¼ n.
 Peak Trams (new) 22¼ n.
 Star Ferries 92½ b.
 Yaumati Ferries 32½ n.
 C. Light (Old) \$13.45 b., \$13.45
 n.
 C. Lights (New) \$10¼ n.
 H.K. Electric \$52 b.
 Macao Electric \$20 n.
 Sandakan Lights \$8.30 n.
 Telephones (Old) \$28¼ b.
 Telephones (New) 99¼ b.
 China Buses Sh. \$11¼ n.
 Singapore Traction 27/- n.
 Singapore Pref. 27/- n.

GERMANY AND AUSTRIA

Reciprocal Trade Measures

Berlin, Yesterday.
 The Austrian official visit has
 been concluded. A communique
 says that M. Schmidt had several
 friendly conferences with Baron
 von Neurath of a political, econo-
 mic and cultural character, con-
 cerning both States. The discus-
 sions resulted in accord of the re-
 spective views, and the Ministers
 decided to order a considerable
 increase in the amount of re-
 ciprocally trade. Negotiations for
 a new trade agreement will begin
 at Vienna on December 7.—Reu-
 ter.

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 Jan./Mar. 31-1/4 do
 Apr./June 31-38 do
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LOCAL DOLLAR STEADY

Spot Silver Firm

The local dollar is steady, open-
 ing on demand yesterday morning
 at 1/2 27/32.
 "Spot" silver was steady at 21,
 while "forward" was also firm at
 21.
 The London on New York cross-
 rate was quoted at £—U.S.\$4.89,
 as compared with £—U.S.\$4.89¼,
 while the New York on London
 cross-rate was steady at £—
 U.S.\$4.89-1/16.

Industrials

Cald., Macg. (Ord.) Sh. \$19½ n.
 Cald., Macg. (Pref.) Sh. \$15 n.
 Canton Ices \$2.20 n.
 Cements \$10.90 b.
 H.K. Ropes \$3.40 s.
Stores, etc.
 Dairy Farms \$2¼ b.
 Watsons \$4.85 n.
 Lane, Crawfords \$6¼ n.
 Sincere \$3 n.
 Wing On (H.K.) \$50 n.
Cotton Mills
 Ewo Cottons Sh. \$11.80 b.
 Shanghai Cottons (Old) Sh. \$82
 n.
 Shanghai Cotton (New) Sh. \$45
 n.
 Zoong Sings Sh. \$21 n.
 Wing On Textiles Sh. \$25 n.

Miscellaneous

Entertainments \$3 n.
 Constructions (Old) \$1¼ n.
 Constructions (New) 42½ cts.
 n.
 Vibro Piling \$5.30 n.
 Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G3Bds. —
 92% n.
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 H.K. Govt. 3¼% Loan 3% prem.
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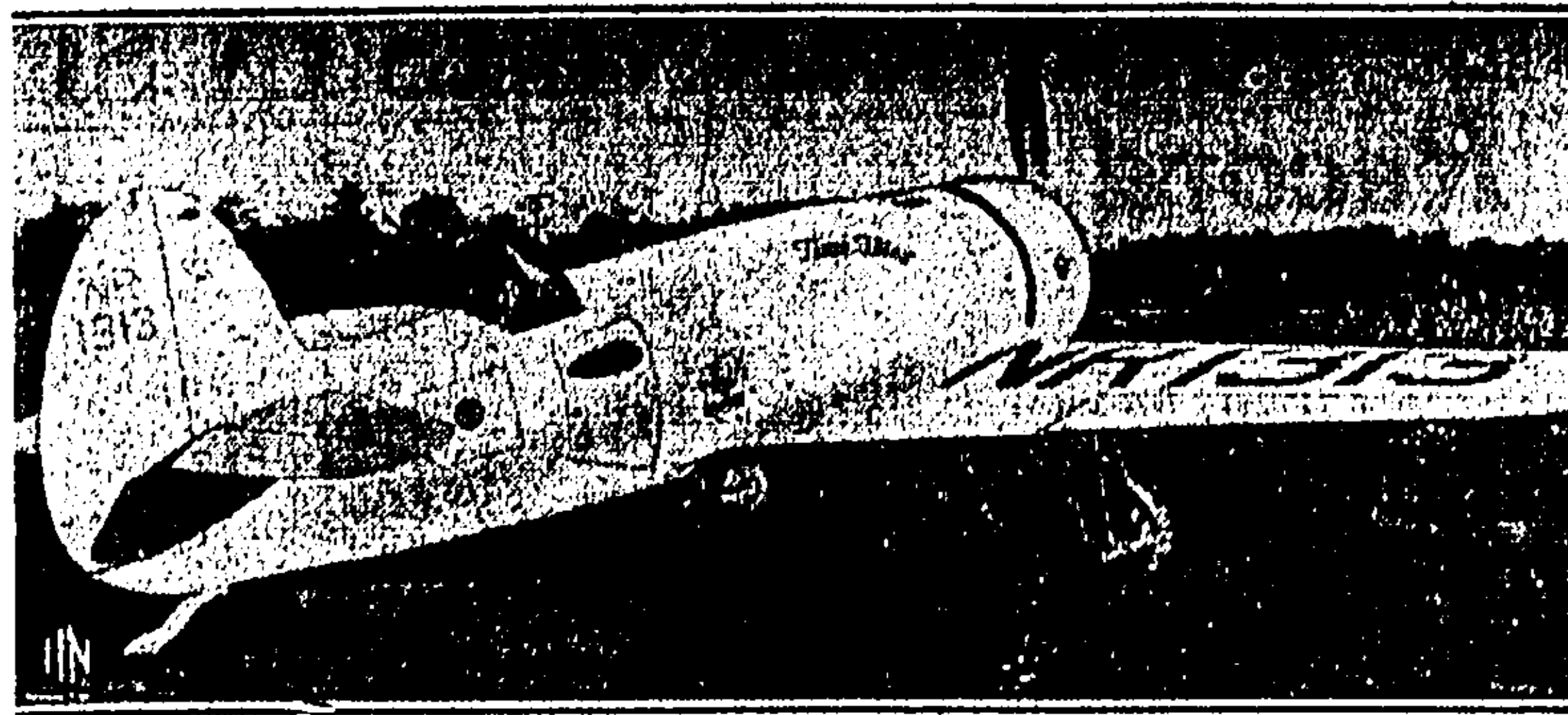
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From Here And There

Mr. A. H. Madar, who after the last Interport cricket match against Shanghai went on to Japan for a holiday with his sister, Miss Latifa Madar, returned to the Colony last Friday. Both of them are looking very fit and well and state that they had a very enjoyable holiday.

The Euro-American Returned Students' Union, of which Mr. H. S. Mok is the chairman, will be holding its first dinner dance at the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden on December 9, when several of the Colony's leading amateurs have consented to contribute to the evening's entertainment. Mr. Y. K. Chow, we understand, will be the Master of Ceremonies.

Mr. Desmond Hynes, the well-known local sportsman, is taking a prominent part in the pantomime, "Make Believe," to be presented by past and present pupils of the Central British School at the annual Fancy Dress party just before Christmas. The Misses I. Woolley, B. Budden and J. Booker and Messrs. F. Anslow and E. Moses are also in the cast.

Miss E. S. Woolley, who is on the staff of the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce, is back in the Colony again after an absence of a few months on home leave. She brings the news that her brother, Mr. Reginald Woolley, who has been in England for some time now, is extremely fit and well and wishes to be remembered to all his friends here.

Capt. and Mrs. Jilani, who have only just come back from a holiday trip to Japan, are shortly to leave for India. Capt. Jilani having completed his term of office here. He is in the Indian Medical Service and has been attached to the Kowloon Military Hospital.

Mr. Sou Z. Chang, the District Manager of the China and South Sea Bank, has made one of his periodical tours of inspection to the Amoy branch of the bank. His movements in the

immediate future are somewhat uncertain, however, it not being known whether he will spend the Christmas holidays here or in Shanghai.

Mr. C. Spikter, the manager of the Netherlands India Commercial Bank, is at present away in Japan and Mr. F. Wuthrich, the accountant of the Bank, is temporarily in charge. Both gentlemen are very popular members of the local Dutch community.

The many friends of Mrs. S. E. Ismail will be sorry to learn that she is indisposed and has been confined to bed for some time. She has, however, made some little progress and hopes to be out and about again within the next few days.

DYSENTERY AND ITS
TREATMENT

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material. The feeds therefore must be of a carbohydrate nature and as much fluid as possible given. On the other hand the Flexner bacillus, which causes a less toxic and severe type of dysentery, thrives on carbohydrate and so the feeds should not be of this nature. The wise and successful physician will be the one who adopts the appropriate serum treatment as quickly as he possibly can. It is dangerous to delay in anticipation of laboratory confirmation. Experienced clinicians have to act quickly and thoroughly. There is no harm in giving a child of one year old a 10 c.c. dose of appropriate serum and repeat as clinical signs justify — for older children larger doses. Care has to be taken to enquire as to whether the child has had previous serum injections as, for example, anti-diphtheritic. Thus severe subsequent reactions can be avoided.

Epidemic Control

With regard to the control of such epidemics much responsibility rests with those engaged in the preservation of the health of the public. It is to be regretted

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GERMAN U-BOAT SUNK

Eight Members Of The Crew
Reported Missing

Berlin, Yesterday.
The German submarine U 18 was sunk yesterday in a collision during torpedo practice at Baylubeck. Eight members of the crew are missing while 12 were rescued. — Reuter.

MR. SOONG CALLS
ON GOVERNORLunch At Government
House

Mr. T. V. Soong, who came down to Hong Kong specially for the re-opening of the Bank of Canton, of which he is the chairman of the Board of Directors, in company with the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, called on His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, at Government House at 11 a.m., yesterday. Mr. Soong remaining for lunch with His Excellency and Lady Caldecott.

In the evening Mr. Soong was the guest of the Hon. Dr. R. H. and Mrs. Kotewall to dinner at their residence in Kotewall Road, when the following were amongst those present: Mr. T. L. Soong, Commissioner of Finance, Kwangtung, Mr. Lau Wai-chi, Commissioner of Construction, Kwangtung, the Hon. Mr. R. A. C. North, acting Colonial Secretary, the Hon. Mr. W. J. Carrie, Secretary for Chinese Affairs, the Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, the Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell, the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, the Hon. Dr. S. W. T'ao, the Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau, the Hon. Mr. K. Lo, Sir Robert Ho-tung, General Gaston Wong, Dr. Li Shu-fan and many prominent Chinese bankers.

that unjust criticism is often directed at the Public Health authorities. Their task is a particularly difficult one in this colony. The private practitioner must also shoulder some responsibility, because he is the first to see the sick. All those in direct contact with the patient must be warned to take all precautions. There must be disinfection of the faeces, clothing etc. Nursing staff must be unusually careful and must disinfect the hands every time they have touched or helped the patient. Undoubtedly there is great value in early notification of disease to the Public Health authorities (at present dysentery is not a notifiable disease in Hong Kong). This colony has, unfortunately, a particularly elastic conscience with regard to the notification of infectious diseases. For various reasons many incorrect notifications are made. Such methods cannot but produce very grave risks of epidemics and completely stultify the control efforts of even the best of Public Health departments.

Public Health Service

During recent years there has been a strenuous fight for the establishment of a first-class public health service under direct medical control, and this against much lay opposition — only very recently have improved laws been made which give the Public Health department greater powers aimed at the protection of the public against disease. How far do these laws go? Are they to be made really effective? For its own safety the public must see that such laws are made effective.

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BEAR CLAW COMPLETES "HAT TRICK"

THE brilliant riding of Mr. L. G. Frost featured the Eleventh Extra Race meeting yesterday at the Valley. Mr. Frost registered four wins and a third in six outings, including the Hong Kong St. Leger on Bear Claw, which beat Honeymoon Eve, the Derby winner, by three lengths.

Conditions were ideal for racing and there were no upsets until the seventh race, when Mr. Paul Botelho won on Tyne to pay \$66.50, which was the biggest dividend of the day. Incidentally, only seven punters were successful in picking the winner of the second leg of the "Daily Double" and they were each the recipient of the handsome return of \$535.50.

A brilliant race was seen in the Fremantle St. Leger when Mr. Donald Black brought Mr. J. F. Macgregor's Strathroy home a short head in front of Electron (Mr. Deltz), the winner's time of 3.11.3/5 secs. beating the previous record for 1 1/4 miles of 3.17.1/5 secs by Dr. L. Reidy's Cold Morning (Mr. Frost) in the same classic last year.

As was the case in the two previous meetings, honours amongst the owners was very evenly distributed, nobody scoring more than one win.

Mr. Leo Frost signalled his return to the saddle with a win on Mistake Bay, the favourite, in the opening race of the Meeting, the Sheungshui Handicap, when the second favourite, King's Justice, with Mr. H. C. Pih up, had to be content with third place.

Five ponies faced the starter, and, drawing the rails position, King's Justice went into a comfortable lead with Mistake Bay, Rose Queen, Sadko and King's Justice following in the order named. The same positions were maintained until after the Rock had been passed, when Mistake Bay went into the lead. It was not till after the ponies had come into the home stretch, however, that Rose Queen overtook King's Justice to finish second, five lengths behind the winner. Sadko was fourth and King's Justice last.

Bear Claw's Triumph

The Hong Kong St. Leger gave Mr. Leo Frost his second win in as many races, the way he finished on the favourite, Bear Claw, earning for him a well-deserved round of applause. There were only three starters and right from the beginning it was evident that the race would be between Bear Claw and Honeymoon Eve, the Derby winner.

Bear Claw went into the lead at the start, but Honeymoon Eve was in close attendance and kept only about half a length behind all the time. After the field had passed the post for the first time, however, Bear Claw drew away and by the time the Rock was reached it was leading comfortably by many lengths. On coming into the home stretch, however, Mr. Black closed in on the leader, but the advantage Mr. Frost had established earlier in the race stood him in good stead and he passed the post with three lengths to spare for Bear Claw to register the "hat trick"—three wins in succession. Dawn Star, out of the picture right through, was third in a field of three.

Bright View Surprises

The third race of the day, the Shum Chun Handicap, provided the first minor upset when Bright View, ridden by Mr. Y. T. Fung, came in first with Jungle Jim (Mr. S. Y. Liang) second and the

At the Football Stands Perfect Day moved up into the lead, with Strathroy lying second and Centre Court third, but Holiday Eve then came up strongly, followed by Electron. Coming into the home stretch, Strathroy overhauled Perfect Day, but it was at this stage that Electron produced a tremendous burst of speed which very nearly robbed Strathroy of first place! Perfect Day was third and Holiday Eve came up to take the fourth position from Centre Court.

Tyne Causes Upset

The second leg of the Daily Double, the Shum Chun Handicap (second section), was won by Mr. Paul Botelho on Tyne, the favourite, Ythan, with Mr. L. G. Frost up, being unplaced.

Ythan ran away into the lead at the start, followed by Laughing Girl, Amberley, Royal Highness, and Tyne, with the rest of the field bunched together. At the Football Stands Amberley went to first place, while Tyne had moved up to the second position with Amberley third. Passing the Rock, Flyby-night was seen to move up. At the Village Bend, however, it looked as though Amberley would do it, but Mr. Botelho rode a very well-judged race and finished in great style to pay his backers \$66.50 for a win, the biggest of the day. Flyby-night was second and Amberley third, while New Star, with Mr. R. M. Wood up, beat the favourite for fourth place.

Mr. Frost's Fourth Win

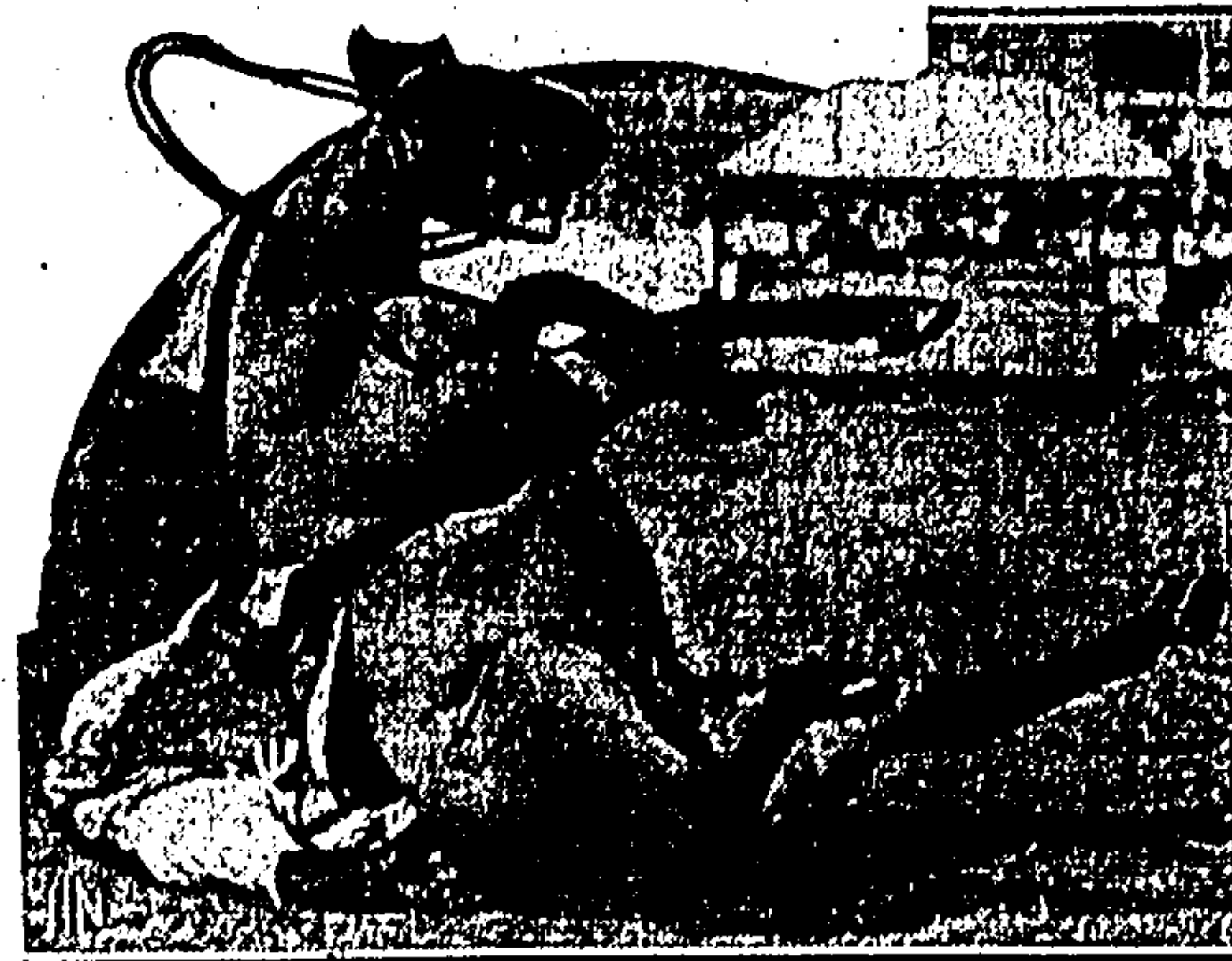
As he opened the day with a win, so did Mr. Leo Frost wind up with a first—his fourth of the day, when he finished first on the favourite, Sylvandale, in the Tai-po Handicap. The field of 16 ponies were bunched together for the greater part of the race, but Sylvandale, sent into the lead right from the start, maintained this advantage till the end, though Gold Coin challenged strongly over the last hundred yards.

There was nothing outstanding in the race with the exception of the fact that Mr. W. G. Poy did well to secure a place on Laughing Buddha as he was hotly pursued by Seventeenth of September (Mr. H. C. Pih) in the closing stages. Full details are as follows:

1.—2.00 P.M.—Sheungshui Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "B" Class. Griffins of this Season barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

L. Dunbar's Mistake Bay 161 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1
Eu Tong Sen's Rose-Queen 161 lb. (Mr. N. Deltz) 2
Harbrad's King's Justice 161 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 3
Also ran:—King's Justice, 140 lb., (Mr. Y. T. Fung); and Sadko, 142 lb., (Mr. D. Black).
5 starters.
Won By five lengths; four lengths.
Time: 1.59.2.
Parl-mutuel, winner \$950; places, 1st \$6.30; 2nd \$7.20.

2.—2.30 P.M.—Hong Kong St. Leger.—Winner \$750. Second \$300.



A remarkable spill, this picture was taken during the Hunters Centenary Plate at Adelaide, Australia. Reform is shown a moment after he had fallen heavily with his rider, W. C. Howie. He rolled over on Howie, but the latter was not seriously hurt.

HOW JOCKEYS FARED

The following is how the jockeys fared yesterday:—

	1	2	3	Un.
L. G. Frost	4	0	1	1
N. Deltz	1	2	0	3
P. P. Botelho	1	1	0	1
D. Black	1	1	0	4
Y. T. Fung	1	0	1	3
H. C. Pih	0	2	1	4
G. U. da Rosa	0	1	0	1
S. Y. Liang	0	1	0	2
Ip Kui Ying	0	0	2	2
W. G. Poy	0	0	1	0
L. C. Harris	0	0	0	1
F. Li	0	0	0	1
G. A. Harriman	0	0	0	1
E. O. Butler	0	0	0	1
R. M. P. Bairnsfather	0	0	0	1
W. H. S. Davis	0	0	0	2
R. M. Sandbach	0	0	0	2
S. L. Yuen	0	0	0	2
R. M. Wood	0	0	0	4
Totals	8	8	8	37

Third \$200. For China Ponies, Griffins of this Season. Weight 146 lb. Winners of one race, 5 lb; of two or more races, 10 lb; penalty. Entrance \$10. One and Three Quarter Miles.

Mrs. Dunbar's Bear Claw 156 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1
Eve's Honeymoon Eve 156 lb. (Mr. D. Black) 2
Kong Bros.'s Dawn Star 156 lb. (Mr. Ip Kui Ying) 3
3 starters.
Won By three lengths, five lengths.
Time: 3.33.3.
Parl-mutuel, winner \$5.90; places, 1st \$5.60.

3.—3.00 P.M.—Shum Chun Handicap.—First Section.—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Lan's Bright View 158 lb. (Mr. Y. T. Fung) 1
Lan's Jungle Jim 155 lb. (Mr. S. Y. Liang) 2
L. Dunbar's Pontiac Bay 156 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 3
Also ran:—Bistre, 141 lb., (Mr. N. Deltz); Boolat Bay, 152 lb., (Mr. P. P. Botelho); King's Jubilee, 158 lb., (Mr. H. C. Pih); Ribble, 150 lb., (Mr. D. Black); Sol-

dier of Peace, 140 lb., (Ip Kui Ying); and The Tiger, 158 lb., (Mr. R. M. Wood).
9 starters.
Won By three lengths, half length.
Time: 2.00.4.
Parl-mutuel, winner \$31.60; places, 1st \$10.80; 2nd \$12.00; 3rd \$8.70.

4.—3.30 P.M.—Sub-Griffins St. Leger.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season. Weight 146 lb. Winners of one race, 5 lb; of two or more races, 10 lb; penalty. Entrance \$10. One and Three Quarter Miles.

Eu Tong Sen's Rose Evelyn 156 lb. (Mr. N. Deltz) 1
L. T. F.'s Gold Sovereign 156 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 2
Early Bird's Stopwatch 156 lb. (Mr. Ip Kui Ying) 3
Also ran:—Wild Cat, 156 lb., (Mr. S. Y. Liang).
4 starters.
Won By six lengths, four lengths.
Time: 3.46.4.
Parl-mutuel, winner \$7.30; places, 1st \$6.70; 2nd \$11.20.

5.—4.00 P.M.—Castle Peak Handicap.—Winner \$550. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, "A" Class. Winners of \$5,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1936, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Seven Furlongs.

Dynasty's King's Warden 155 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1
Li Shu Pang's Soldier of Britain 158 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 2
Hem's Gladiator 140 lb. (Mr. Y. T. Fung) 3
Also ran:—Oak Bay, 150 lb., (Mr. W. H. S. Davis); and Wild Life, 148 lb., (Mr. D. Black).
5 starters.
Won By length and half, half a length.
Time: 1.40.0.
Parl-mutuel, winner \$22.20; places, 1st \$9.30; 2nd \$7.90.

6.—4.30 P.M.—Fremantle St. Leger.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Ponies of this Season. Weight 146 lb. Winners of one race, 5 lb; of two or more races, 10 lb; penalty. Entrance \$10. One and Three Quarter Miles.

Have You Won?

Race 1		Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 2000, 180.	
No. 190	\$1127.00	No. 485	\$1,460.20
" 1127	322.00	" 1425	417.20
" 659	161.00	" 462	208.60
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 2000, 180.		Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 2936, 1444, 1116, 1341, 484, 2040.	
Race 2		Race 7	
No. 1032	\$1819.50	No. 2146	\$1,444.10
" 1916	377.00	" 3156	442.60
" 961	188.50	" 1211	206.30
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 1126, 6, 1936, 671, 2626, 1732.		Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 116, 193, 1929, 5188, 2740, 495, 2478, 1297.	
Race 3		Race 8	
No. 394	\$1,257.00	No. 632	\$2,601.90
" 1962	359.40	" 1457	748.40
" 1623	179.70	" 2696	371.70
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 1126, 6, 1936, 671, 2626, 1732.		Unplaced runners (\$100 each), Nos.: 2451, 3074, 1415, 1086, 1936, 488, 873, 2515, 829, 91, 2996, 93.	
Race 4		Race 5	
No. 2738	\$1,444.10	No. 982	\$1,509.90
" 1959	412.60	" 2479	431.40
" 2607	206.30	" 380	215.70
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 2209.			

J. F. Macgregor's Strathroy 156 lb. (Mr. D. Black)
J. E. D.'s Electron 156 lb. (Mr. N. Deltz)
Chau Bros.'s Perfect Day 151 lb. (Mr. S. C. Liang)
Also ran:—Centre Court, 151 lb., (Mr. R. M. Sandbach); Double Finesse, 146 lb., (Mr. H. C. Pih); Gold Dragon, 146 lb., (Mr. Y. T. Fung); Hercules, 146 lb., (Mr. R. M. Wood); Holiday Eve, 151 lb., (Mr. I. C. Harris); and Ranger, 156 lb., (Mr. W. H. S. Davis).
9 starters.
Won By short head, two lengths.
Time: 3.11.3. (Record).
Parl-mutuel, winner \$6.40; places, 1st \$5.50; 2nd \$6.40; 3rd \$7.50.

7.—5.00 P.M.—Shum Shun Handicap.—Second Section.—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

V. M. Grayburn's Tyne 155 lb. (Mr. P. P. Botelho) 1
Rojon's Flyby-night 150 lb. (Mr. G. U. da Rosa) 2
C. B. Brown's Amberley 150 lb. (Mr. S. C. Liang) 3
Also ran:—High Honour, 146 lb., (Mr. H. C. Pih); Laughing Girl, 160 lb., (Mr. N. Deltz); Mayflower, 160 lb., (Mr. F. F. Li); Miracle, 140 lb., (Mr. S. L. Yuen); New Star, 155 lb., (Mr. R. M. Wood); Royal Highness, 160 lb., (Mr. G. A. Harriman); Valorous, 154 lb., (Mr. E. O. Butler); and Ythan, 161 lb., (Mr. L. G. Frost).
11 starters.
Won By a length, length and a half.
Time: 2.01.1.
Parl-mutuel, winner \$66.50; places, 1st \$17.60; 2nd \$15.50; 3rd \$12.40.

8.—5.30 P.M.—Tai-po Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

H. A. Browning's Sylvandale 158 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1
L.T.F.'s Gold Coin 158 lb. (Mr. P. P. Botelho) 2
Sunshine's Laughing Buddha 163 lb. (Mr. W. G. Poy) 3
Also ran:—Don, 150 lb., (Mr. S. Y. Liang).

KING'S WARDEN AND TYNE PAY \$535.50 DIVIDEND

The following were yesterday's "Daily Double" betting figures:—
1st Leg: Gladiator (144); King's Warden (197); Oak Bay (188); Soldier of Britain (347); Wild Life (42).
2nd Leg: Amberley (31); Flyby-night (14); High Honour (62); Laughing Girl (8); Mayflower (11); New Star (3); Royal Highness (13); Tyne (7); Valorous (1); Ythan (9).
The combination of King's Warden and Tyne paid seven backers \$535.50 each for their \$5 bet.

DEPARTURES BY SHIRALA

The following passengers sailed by the s.s. Shirala yesterday:—
Mrs. H. B. Browster, Mr. W. J. Walsh, Mr. Percy Ronald Gum, Mr. Lee Tian Lay, Miss Lau Won Ngan, Mr. A. Berg, Mr. Ho Lan Woon, Mr. Lee Chak Choon Madam Chow Yaw, Madam Chen Chiang Lin and Infant Mr. Wong Ngai Lok, Madam Wong Chiu Shue & Infant, Mr. Amador Golarco, Mr. Tan Seen Chin, Miss Wong Sook Ching, Madam Aurelia Arlancio de Notario, Rev. & Mrs. A. B. Gould, Miss C. Stubbington, Mr. J. Sauler, Mr. B. B. Bishan Dass, Miss S. Bishan Dass, Mrs. Ram Parli, Mr. C. S. Spooner, Mr. L. C. Agala, Mr. F. K. Modi, Mr. D. R. Bishan Dass and Master R. N. Bishan.

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HOW OWNERS FARED

The following is how the owners fared yesterday:—

	1st	2nd	3rd
Eu Tong Sen	1	1	0
Lan	1	0	0
L. Dunbar	1	0	1
Mrs. Dunbar	1	0	1
Dynasty	1	0	0
J. F. Macgregor	1	0	0
V. M. Grayburn	1	0	0
H. A. Browning	1	0	0
L. T. F.	0	2	0
Eve	0	1	0
Li Shu Pang	0	1	0
J. E. D.	0	1	0
Rojon	0	1	0
Harbrad	0	0	1
Kong Bros.	0	0	1
Early Birds	0	0	1
Hem	0	0	1
Chau Bros.	0	0	1
C. B. Brown	0	0	1
Sunshine	0	0	1
Totals	8	8	8

Strathroy Breaks Record

The best finish of the day was seen in the Fremantle St. Leger, when Electron (Mr. Deltz) almost stole the race from Strathroy, which finished in 3.11.3 to establish a new record over 1 1/4 miles for Australian ponies, the previous best being 3.17.2 set up by Cold Morning.

The Ranger (Mr. W. H. S. Davis) gave trouble at the start and when the field was sent off it refused to run, Hercules (Mr. R. M. Wood) being another which did not go off. Double Finesse went into the lead and was followed by Centre Court, Strathroy, Perfect Day and Holiday Eve, and the field passed the post for the first time in the following order: Double Finesse, Centre Court, Perfect Day, Strathroy and Electron.



JOSS AGAIN WINS YACHTING RACE

"G" Class Event Washed Out

JOSS, sailed by Mr. J. R. L. Stanton, won the "A" Class event in the seventh Commodore's Cup yachting series over a 6.9 miles course, while Slakhi (Mr. W. M. Brown) won the "B" Class race. Gnel, Eunice and Owl failed to finish within the time limit in the "G" Class event, while Stella (Mr. F. C. Manning) carried off the honours in the "I" and "J" Classes race.

Detailed results are as follows:

Yacht	Corrected	Pos'n
Slakhi (Mr. W. M. Brown)	17.10.10	1
Aeriel (Mr. J. A. Kinsley)	17.11.17	2
Dorothy (Lt. Col. S. D. Reid)	17.15.57	3
Tella (Major W. H. Foster)	17.21.51	4
Diana (D.N.F.)		
"A" Class Started 14.30		
JOSS (Mr. J. R. L. Stanton)	17.14.00	1
Jan (Capt. J. Krogh-Moe)	17.19.45	2
Inobel (Major B. E. C. Dixon)	17.25.47	3
True Blue (Mr. C. C. Blake)	17.25.48 1/2	4
Artamini (Mr. G. W. Good)	17.26.40	5
Painted Lady (Major P. C. Booty)	17.26.41	6
Eve (Capt. Bader)	17.35.37	8
Carpenier (Capt. D. M. Eley)	17.42.26	9
Lobo (Major B. B. Edwards)	17.47.23	10
Gull (Mr. B. Naess)	17.51.10	11
Kittiwake (Miss P. M. King)	17.41.35	12
Stella (Mr. F. C. Manning)	17.50.16	13
Alisa (Comdr. J. Barnard, R.N.)	17.54.11	14
Widgeon (Mr. L. Garner)	18.00.56	15
Zephyr (Major T. C. Sharp)	D.N.F.	
Daphne (D.N.F.)		
Winkle (D.N.F.)		
Heron (D.N.F.)		
Robena (D.N.F.)		
Sirius (D.N.F.)		

La Linda has been renamed Eve and Pat has been rechristened Kittiwake.

STREET SALE OF FLAGS

Over \$800 Realised in Hong Kong

The Sunday Herald was informed by Mr. H. M. Cockle, Hon. Secretary of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, last evening that the sale of flags carried out yesterday in aid of the Society's funds realised \$870.25 insofar as the sales in Hong Kong were concerned. Mr. Cockle added that it will not be possible to give the amount collected in Kowloon until to-morrow.

The Misses Doris and Helen Kotewall collected, between them, \$129.20 and other ladies who collected over \$80 each were: Miss Margaret Robertson \$48.20; Miss Mary Taylor \$48.80; Miss P. Turnbull \$43.00; Mrs. Robb \$37.70; Miss H. Sangor \$36.40; Miss E. Mendous \$34.60; Miss A. Anderson \$33.60; Miss Valeria Morris \$33.50; Miss Searle \$32.05; Mrs. Weldon \$32.80; Mrs. Peadar \$31.20; and Mrs. Sylvester \$30.20.

NEW FILIPINO CLUBHOUSE

Construction Plans Completed

Plans for the new Filipino Clubhouse have already been completed, and the construction of the new building will commence as soon as the club officials receive permission from the authorities.

The former clubhouse was a wooden structure which was totally demolished by the typhoon in August last. Application for a semi-permanent building was presented to the authorities immediately afterwards, but no reply has yet been received.

The local Filipino community have subscribed generously towards the new building fund, and the clubhouse, it is estimated, will cost about \$2,500. Mr. M. A. Xavier has been appointed the Club's architect.

(Continued from Next Column) Brown won the Ladies' prizes, and Messrs. Tribble, Aton and McLindon secured the men's prizes.

RIDING SCHOOL SPORTS

Attractive Programme Arranged

MRS. VERNON WALKER TO PRESENT THE PRIZES

The Hong Kong Riding School, which has its headquarters in Stubbs Road, will be holding its first annual sports this morning, commencing at 10 a.m., when a very elaborate programme has been arranged and when some excellent sport should be seen.

Mr. L. W. Amps, Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin and Major F. Hogg will act as judges, while Mrs. Vernon Walker will distribute the prizes at the conclusion of the sports.

The full programme, together with the entries are as follows:

The Bending Race
(Cup Presented by Engr. Capt. A. K. Dibley R.N.):
K. Baldwin, J. Benvis, M. Franka, K. Glover, V. Jarrett, T. Lang, J. Langley, W. Marshall, M. McLay, C. Newton, H. Pearce, V. Platt, G. Rodgers, G. Stokes.

Trotting Ring Competition
(Cups Presented by L. W. Amps Esq. O.B.E. and Lieut. Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin O.B.E.):
William Barker, Bobby Mitchell, Roland Pearce, Tony Platt, Berne Pibley, Christopher Thomas, Susan Dibley, Elizabeth Fleming, Patricia Pibley, Peggy Wong.

Walking Ring Competition
(Children 5 years and under. Cup Presented by Hon. J. J. Paterson Esq.):
Piona Anderson, Nancy Dibley, Marion Fleming, Phillip Ralph.

Barre Back Riding Competition
(Cups Presented by R. A. Rodger Esq., T. A. Mitchell Esq., and A. H. Potts Esq.):
Wendy Anslow, Janet Dibley, Veronica Walker, Nancie Paterson, Bunty Soares, Pauline Strange, Frankie Langley, Joan MacFayden.

Tilting In The Ring
(Cup Presented by Com. J. B. Newell D.S.O. R.N.):
P. Baldwin, J. Benvis, M. Franka, K. Glover, V. Jarrett, T. Lang, J. Langley, W. Marshall, M. McLay, C. Newton, H. Pearce, V. Platt, G. Rodgers, G. Stokes.

Childrens Jumping Competition
(Cups Presented by Dr. L. Reidy, G. H. Potts Esq., and T. B. Williams Esq.):
Frankie Langley, Joan MacFayden, Nancie Paterson, Veronica Walker.

Canter Ring Competition
(Cups Presented by T. A. Mitchell Esq., C. L. Gregory Esq., V. H. C. Jarrett Esq.):
Wendy Anslow, Joan MacFayden, Pauline Strange, Veronica Walker, Nancie Paterson, Bunty Soares, Janet Dibley, Madeline Wong, Bernd Adams, Hana Adams, Paul Langley.

Challenge Cup. The Harriman Cup
For the best rider in the School To be competed for annually.
Presented by G. A. Harriman Esq.
Challenge Replica Cup
Presented by V. C. Labrum Esq.

SENIOR SHIELD HOLDERS' TASK

Encounter Navy To-day

Thrilling football should be the order of the day at Causeway Bay this afternoon when the Royal Navy entertain South China "A", holders of the Senior Shield, in a Shield encounter which is expected to be one of the finest of the season.

South China "A" will be practically at full strength in spite of the notable absence of Lee Wai long from the leader's berth, while the Navy should be able to field a very strong representative team.

The Navy have a class of football all their own and on their day have given the best Chinese teams a good run for their money and it will not come as a surprise if they run the holders to a very close game to-day.

The following is to-day's programme with the favoured teams in capital letters:

SENIOR SHIELD
First Round
v EAST LANCES.
(Kowloon, 4.00 p.m.)
v S. CHINA "A".
(Causeway Bay, 4.00 p.m.)

JUNIOR SHIELD
First Round
v NAVY
(Sookunpo, 4.00 p.m.)
v Ordnance
(Kowloon, 2.15 p.m.)

C.S.C.C. WHIST DRIVE

The fortnightly whist drive of the Civil Service Cricket Club, held last night, was well attended, there being some 18 tables in play. Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Carter, and Mrs. ...

Pearce Scores 95 Not Out

RUMJAHN & ARCULLI GET "HAT-TRICK"

ANDERSON JUMPS INTO HIS STRIDE

SHIPP'S 16 BOUNDARIES IN 73

ON a day during which several clubs registered the double in the Cricket League, the outstanding individual performance was that of T. A. Pearce, the Colony skipper, who scored 95 not out in 87 minutes, hitting a six, a five and 13 boundaries. Mainly due to his batting, the Club beat the Army by 5 wickets in fast falling light. Lieut. C. C. Garthwaite, another Interporter, scored 65 out of 90 in 70 minutes for the Army, hitting 13 boundaries.

Two Indian R.C. players distinguished themselves, M. el Arculli dismissing H. L. Ozorio, A. P. Pereira and B. K. Ng with successive deliveries to register the first "hat-trick" of the season in the premier League, while A. M. Rumjahn, in addition to scoring 67 out of 94, in 47 minutes, secured 7 wickets for 8 runs, the last six wickets without conceding a run! By dismissing G. Hong Choy, W. C. Chan and M. R. Soares, he secured the first "hat-trick" in the junior division.

A. M. Omar, performed a good bowling feat when he secured 6 for 24 to dismiss the Civil Servants' junior team for 55 runs, and an innings of 57 retired by G. A. Lee enabled Craigengower to win by 9 wickets to complete their double. In the same division C. Pope (5 for 21) and B. G. Baker (5 for 30) bowled unchanged for the Police for the second week in succession.

D. J. N. Anderson, playing in his first game in the Colony for several seasons, scored 64 against the Navy and helped N. A. E. Mackay (53) to add 90 runs for the first wicket before retiring. Good bowling by R. Lee (6 for 33) was, however, mainly responsible for the champions' win by 10 wickets.

Cpl. Shipp (73) and Cpl. Wateridge (72) added 101 for the third wicket for the Army "B" against the H.K.C.C., the match, however, ending in a draw. Shipp hit 16 boundaries during his stay at the wicket!

SENIOR DIVISION

H.K.C.C. Beat Army
At the H.K.C.C., the Hong Kong Cricket Club beat the Army by 5 wickets.

Col. Lightfoot, b. Wodehouse ... 11
Owen Hughes, b. Holden ... 10
Capt. Pearce, b. Wodehouse ... 7
Cpl. Garthwaite, b. Wodehouse ... 65
Cpl. Jackson, c. Hayward, b. Holden ... 1
Bdr. Baker, b. Holden ... 0
Lt. Murphy, b. Holden ... 2
Lt. Clegh-Hill, c. Pearce, b. Wodehouse ... 10
Capt. Walsh, not out ... 41
Lt. Barron, not out ... 15
Extras ... 0

Total (for 8 wks. dec.) ... 167
Q. M. S. Warr did not bat.
Fall of the wickets:—1 (Pritchard) for 25; 2 (Pearce) for 32; 3 (Lightfoot) for 42; 4 (Jackson) for 43; 5 (Baker) for 43; 6 (Murphy) for 49; 7 (Clegh-Hill) for 68; 8 (Garthwaite) for 122.

Bowling Analysis
M M R W
Holden ... 16 2 55 4
Owen Hughes ... 8 1 8 1
Wodehouse ... 12 0 63 3
Pearce ... 4 0 24 0
Baines ... 7 0 17 0

Hong Kong C.C.
H. Owen Hughes, b. Garthwaite ... 1
H. B. Neve, c. Baker, b. Pritchard ... 23
T. A. Pearce, not out ... 95
R. L. D. Wodehouse, at. Warr, b. Pritchard ... 6
R. L. Holden, b. Murphy ... 10
E. J. R. Mitchell, b. Barron ... 2
A. W. Hayward, not out ... 12
Extras (B. B. L. B.) ... 4

Total (for 5 wks.) ... 168
H. W. Baines, G. A. Stewart, L. D. Kilbee and E. R. Duckitt did not bat.
Fall of the wickets:—1 (Owen Hughes) for 1; 2 (Neve) for 66; 3 (Wodehouse) for 78; 4 (Holden) for 101; 5 (Mitchell) for 155.

Bowling Analysis
O M R W
Barron ... 8 1 47 1
Garthwaite ... 5 10 19 1
Pritchard ... 9 0 63 2
Murphy ... 7 0 27 1

Craigengower Beat C.S.C.C.
At Happy Valley, Craigengower Cricket Club beat Civil Service Cricket Club by 2 wickets.

J. E. Richardson, b. Souza ... 8
W. H. Colledge, c. Esmail, b. Ismail ... 56
A. E. Perry, c. Souza, b. Omar ... 10
R. H. Griffiths, c. Souza, b. Omar ... 4
D. McLellan, c. Rapley, b. Ismail ... 13
F. Baker, b. Ismail ... 0
H. J. Crutwell, b. Ismail ... 0
B. C. K. Hawkins, b. Souza ... 1
N. J. Debbington, c. F. Zimmerman, b. Ismail ... 0
C. W. Haynes, c. b. Souza ... 0
C. Strange, not out ... 6
Extras (B5; LB1) ... 6

Total ... 88
Fall of the wickets: 1 for 35; 2 for 36; 3 for 48; 4 for 81; 5 for 81; 6 for 81; 7 for 88; 8 for 88; 9 for 88; 10 for 88.

Bowling Analysis
O M R W
Omar ... 10 2 26 2
Billimoria ... 3 0 18 0
Souza ... 8 1 29 3
Ismail ... 4 4 1 9 5

Craigengower
D. Hung, b. Perry ... 16
A. R. H. Esmail, c. Griffiths, b. Perry ... 10
W. Rapley, c. Hawkins, b. McLellan ... 28
E. J. R. Mitchell, b. McLellan ... 2
A. F. Zimmerman, b. McLellan ... 7
A. H. Harrison, b. Baker ... 6
G. Souza, b. Baker ... 5
U. M. Omar, b. McLellan ... 5

Total ... 88
Fall of the wickets: 1 for 13; 2 for 25; 3 for 30; 4 for 35; 5 for 38; 6 for 62; 7 for 64; 8 for 64; 9 for 77 and 10 for 88.

Bowling Analysis
O M R W
R. Lee ... 16 5 33 6
G. Goodwin ... 12 2 33 0
8 Lay ... 6 2 14 4
5 Anderson ... 2 0 6 0

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O M R W
R. Lee ... 16 5 33 6
G. Goodwin ... 12 2 33 0
8 Lay ... 6 2 14 4
5 Anderson ... 2 0 6 0

LEAGUE TABLES TO DATE

FIRST DIVISION				
Club	P	W	L	D
H.K.C.C.	2	0	0	0
I. R. C.	2	0	0	0
C. C. C.	2	1	0	1
G. C. C.	2	1	0	1
Army	2	0	1	1
C. B. C. C.	2	0	1	1
University	2	0	1	1
Navy	2	0	2	0
SECOND DIVISION				
Club	P	W	L	D
Army "B"	5	3	1	1
I. R. C.	3	3	0	0
Police	3	3	0	0
Army "A"	5	2	1	2
K. C. C.	5	1	3	1
Army "C"	3	1	2	0
C. B. C. C.	3	1	2	0
H. R. C. C.	3	0	3	0
C. C. C.	3	1	2	0
Recreo	3	0	3	0
University	3	0	3	0

Bowling Analysis:—Capt. Mitchell 3-0-7-0; Cpl. Shipp 9-1-29-0; Cpl. Hopcroft 15-2-47-1; Q. M. S. Moreton 9-3-26-3.

I.R.C. Beat University
At Sookunpo, the Indian Recreation Club beat Hong Kong University by 118 runs.

Indian R.C.—H. T. Barma, Llew, b. Hong Choy 40; A. M. Rumjahn, b. Hong Choy 67; A. R. Sullad, b. Hong Choy 4; A. R. Sullad, not out 38; M. I. Hazack, b. Teoh 8; A. K. Minu, not out 7; Extras (B12). Total 178 for 6 wks. dec. M. R. Abbas, A. Aziz, A. Rahmin and A. W. Ismail did not bat.

Bowling Analysis:—C. H. Teoh 15-1-60-1; G. Hong Choy 14-1-61-4; A. K. Pang 2-0-13-0; R. Soares 6-0-30-0.

University:—C. H. Teoh, c. and b. Rumjahn 18; F. Liang, b. Baker 1; A. K. Pang, c. A. K. Sullad, b. Rumjahn 12; M. C. Hung, b. w. b. Razaek 20; G. Hong Choy, b. w. b. Rumjahn 6; R. Symonds, c. and b. Aziz 0; W. C. Chin, c. Baker, b. Rumjahn 0; M. R. Soares, b. Rumjahn 0; K. S. Liew, b. Rumjahn 0; L. H. Tang, not out 0; T. C. Neah, b. Rumjahn 0. Extras (N.B.) 1. Total 58.

Bowling Analysis:—M. R. Abbas 8-2-13-0; A. Baker 7-1-21-1; A. M. Rumjahn 5-2-4-8-7; M. I. Razaek 3-0-16-1; A. A. Aziz 2-1-1-1. M. R. Abbas bowled a no-ball.

Police Beat Army "C"
At Happy Valley, the Police Recreation Club beat Army "C" by 85 runs.

P.R.C.—A. E. Carey, b. Talbot 25; T. R. Hunter, c. Cpl. King 27; J. Stephens, c. Goldworthy, b. Bdr. King 3; C. Pope, b. Bdr. King 10; B. G. Baker, c. Williams, b. Cpl. King 15; P. H. Longhlin, c. Solis, b. Cpl. King 14; A. Kirby, b. Davies 4; H. Danbrowsky, c. Williams, b. Bdr. King 27; G. Carruthers, c. and b. Bdr. King 0; J. Orem, b. Talbot 0; J. A. Forrest, not out 4; Extras (B4, LB3, NB1) 8; Total 137.

Bowling Analysis:—Davies 6-0-23-1; Bdr. King 11-0-46-4; Talbot 7-1-30-2; Wilson 3-0-18-0; Cpl. King 4-2-1-12-3.

Army "C":—Cpl. Allison, b. Baker 2; L/Cpl. Goldworthy, b. Pope 0; Cpl. Williams, b. Pope 1; Pte. Dickenson, b. Pope 0; F. Talbot, c. Loughlin, b. Pope 14; L/Cpl. Wilson, b. Pope 1; Lt. Parker-Jervis, b. Baker 9; Sgt. Solis, b. w. b. Baker 16; Bdr. King, c. Orem, b. Baker 1; Cpl. King, not out 6; Major Davies, c. Orem, b. Baker 1; Extras (B1) 1; Total 52.

Bowling Analysis:—Pope 8-3-21-5; Baker 7-5-1-30-5.

Army "A" Beat Recreo
At King's Park, Army "A" beat Recreo by 6 wickets.

Recreo—W. A. Reed, b. Apps 21; F. A. Carvalho, b. Daniels 19; H. A. Alves, b. Apps 0; A. M. Prata, c. Gantzer, b. Daniels 29; H. A. Barros, c. Eaton, b. Apps 0; L. G. Gosano, b. Apps 6; A. M. Remedios, b. Bradford 4; B. T. Gosano, b. Hebben 6; H. A. Lopes, run out 0; C. M. Xavier, not out 1; A. F. Noronha, c. Eaton, b. Daniels 1; Extras (Byes 11, LB1, W12) 14. Total 108.

Bowling Analysis:—Bradford, 6-2-25-1; Apps 12-3-22-4; Banncroft 2-0-0-0; Daniels 11-3-39-0; Hebben 2-0-0-1.

Army "A":—S/Sgt. Collins, not out 10; Sgt. Daniels, c. B. Gosano, b. Remedios 45; Gnr. Chaplin, run out 10; Sgt. Bennett stumped Prata, b. Reed 4; C.Q.M.S. Eaton, not out 21; Extras (Byes 10, LB1, WBI) 12; Total (for 3 wks.) 111. Lt. Col. Crawford-Jones, Gnr. Hebben, Pte. Gantzer, Cpl. Apps, Bdr. Banncroft and Spr. Bradford did not bat.

Bowling Analysis:—A. Noronha 3-0-16-0; L. Gosano 6-1-28-0; Carvalho 8-3-16-0; Reed 9-0-30-0; Remedios 4-1-11-1.

Army "B" And H.K.C.C. Draw
At Sookunpo, the Army "B" held the Hong Kong Cricket Club to a draw.

Army "B"—Q. M. S. Moreton, b. w. b. Gahagan 23; Cpl. Wateridge, not out 72; Cpl. Hopcroft, c. Wooding, b. Davis 23; Cpl. Shipp, c. Wooding, b. Baskett 73; L/Cpl. Whyley, c. Flenness, b. Baskett 0; Spr. Houldnot, c. Wooding, b. Baskett 4; J. A. Davis, not out 11; Extras (B9, LB2, WBI, NB2) 10; Total (for 5 wks. dec.) 222.

Bowling Analysis:—Robinson 7-0-40-0; Agnew 7-0-31-0; Gahagan 6-0-10-1; Davis 3-0-22-1; Dunnott 6-0-32-1; Flenness 2-0-28-0; Baskett 4-0-32-2.

Hong Kong C.C.—G. E. Gahagan, run out 2; B. M. King, not out 54; G. Agnew, b. Robinson 26; G. S. Chambers, run out 0; F. E. Baskett, c. Moore, b. Moreton 4; J. A. Davis, not out 14; M. Y. Flenness, not out 9; Extras (WBI). Total (for 6 wks.) 110. W. Wooding and W. Keith Robinson did not bat.

Bowling Analysis
O M R W
R. Lee ... 16 5 33 6
G. Goodwin ... 12 2 33 0
8 Lay ... 6 2 14 4
5 Anderson ... 2 0 6 0

CABARET AND DANCE

Enjoyable Evening At Craigengower

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Members of the Craigengower Cricket Club and their friends spent a very pleasant evening last night when an informal cabaret show and a dance was held in the Club, the Midway Maunders providing the dance music, while Mr. Gerald Sydney, Miss Marcollo, Miss Dixie Davis and Miss Dot Fay contributed items towards a most enjoyable concert.

Due to the fact that a large crowd was expected, a canopy had been erected on the lawn to provide sitting out accommodation, and this proved very welcome indeed as the Club verandah was inadequate for this purpose.

Amongst those present were the Vice-president of the Club, Mr. Charles S. Rossetti, and Mrs. Rossetti, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Way, Mr. and Mrs. T. Lock, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Conors, Mr. and Mrs. J. Orem, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Paul, Mr. E. Zimmerman and party, Messrs. Archie and Douglas Hung, Mr. Thirlwell and party, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. R. Souza, Mr. C. Brown, Messrs. R. and L. Choa, the Misses P. Ing, A. Ho, B. Penny, June White, Mr. A. V. Gosano, Mr. and Mrs. Paine, Mr. E. Heppell and Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson.

Anticipated expenditure to the end of 1936.

The above is to be met from savings under Head 2, Colonial Secretary's Office (1936 Estimates page 14 sub-head 2).

(6)—Police Force: Expenses of Anti Piracy Guards, \$6,950. Provision made in Estimates (page 45 sub-head 12), \$20,000.

The accounts for the third and fourth quarters, 1936, were not submitted by the Singapore Government until the beginning of this year and funds provided in 1936 Estimates to meet these charges lapsed. To cover this extra disbursement it is necessary to supplement the amount provided under this sub-head for 1936, and a supplementary vote for \$6,950 is accordingly requested.

The above is to be met from savings under Police Force (1936 Estimates page 45 sub-head 20).

(7)—Imports and Exports Office: Conveyance Allowance, \$100. Provision made in Estimates (page 25 sub-head 5), \$4,740.

Subsequent to the completion of the Estimates for 1936, the motor allowance payable to one European Revenue Officer was increased from \$40 per month to \$80 per month, the amount to which he is entitled under the revised regulations published in the 1936 edition of General Orders. Funds provided under the sub-head are insufficient to cover the whole of this increase in addition to other commitments and a supplementary vote for \$100 is requested.

The above is to be met from savings under Head 9, sub-head 16, Transport (1936 Estimates page 25 sub-head 16).

(8)—Pensions: Civil Pensions, \$311,300. Provision made in Estimates (page 91 sub-head 1), \$1,250,000.



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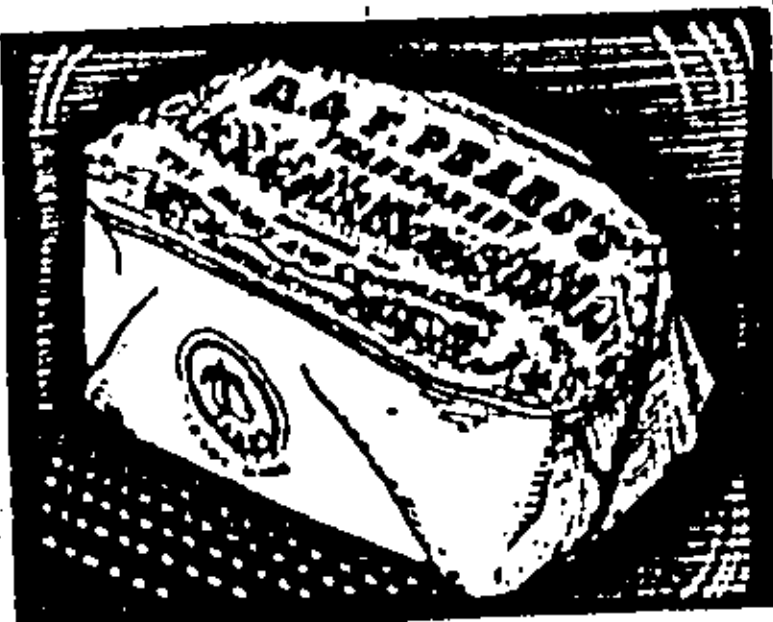
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Buddhist Retreat At Castle Peak

Shadowed World, Sombre Even In Sunlight

(By PHYLLIS JUBY)

A STRANGE, austere landscape. One knows him by the sword in his right hand and the book resting on a flower in his left. The bare pine-trunks ordered as a procession, hearing the soft play of the wind, seeing the lines of the stones. The hills behind, through the soft haze of a lunar light, seemed carved, formed as the Chinese have formed their feelings, sober, cruelly precise. A landscape formed by the thought, yet impregnated with the soft scent of the grasses, tense to the beat of leaves upon each other.

After that slow ascent it is as if one had left the world behind. Here is infinite emptiness. Here rises a white tree-trunk, remote, abstract as a thought. Two lions unquiet, petrified, have found peace in the shadow of a tile-covered arch heightened by a delicate border of "flower and elephant." Here are characters, "The Flying Stick," suggesting the story of the famous monk who was able to cross a river by merely standing on a stick.

A single hibiscus, the flower that discomforts, gazes at us as we pass beyond the arch and enter the temple ground. We move to an orchestra of bamboos, their thick stems maize-yellow. A little entrance: "The Temple of the Shades" — and a god dying on a golden throne. There in a corner are camphor-wood boxes marked with the swastika, the foot-print of Buddha. Inside each is a roughly constructed wooden chair on which the dead monk or nun is to be seated, hands folded, legs crossed, in the posture of Buddha, decked for what voyage? They are taken a little way up the mountain and burned. A very old custom, we are told, this is done at all Buddhist monasteries.

Grimacing Monsters

Grimacing monsters twist along the cornices of another gateway and lead to a god enthroned in the stupor of his multiple gesture. He is the personification of wisdom.

Two In A Fog

(Continued from Page 2)

After a measureless space of time in which no word was spoken — because for this thing that had come to them there were, at first, no words — that voice beside Renwood which had no form or substance said softly from the fog:

"You came back because you missed something. I, too. Strange, isn't it?"

"You—you asked me to forgive you," Anthony said. "It is more than I could dare to ask. Yet I believe you would. If we could only have met before, sir—" Before the ineluctable irony of that "if" he broke off.

"After all, does that really matter?" That other voice was like a friendly hand reaching out, clinging through the mist. "Here we are, together. Why not go out, together, and—explore this fog?"

(THE END).

constituents of the universe; Buddha (Shakyamuni), the creative energy; and the Buddha Sangha, the totality of existence and life. To the people these are three personal Buddhas whom they worship without concerning themselves about their origin; to the priests they are simply the Buddha past, present and future.

Now the monks begin their chanting; they kneel, bowing their heads to the ground. They beat the red wooden fish-head, symbol of watchfulness, for the fish never closes its eyes; they clang the brass symbols, the flat metallic plate, flower-shaped, is struck with a thin iron rod to mark time, the tiny brass gong, scarcely more than a thimble, whirrs. The chant is strangely musical, a peculiar rich sound, low, nasal. The air is heavy with the odour of incense. The face of the priest officiating is pale amber. He approaches the altar; the chanting quickens, the beating becomes more marked. The priest moves slowly, rhythmically. His delicate fingers handle the wine-cup for the offering—an incantation of gestures. The whole exaltation is in these hands, subtle, abstract, which in the muffled shades of the hall seem to envelop the radiant vision of divinity.

Laughing Buddha

The Three Precious Ones look on motionless, only the small shells that form their short curly hair seem, in the flicker of the light, to stir. The priest moves out to the balcony, spills wine from his cup and flicks it toward the temple opposite, toward the Buddha Pu Tai, the Buddha of the future—a very stout monk with robes slipping off his breast and naked paunch exposed to view. Plump as a fruit ready to burst this "little fat gentleman, who sits in negligence costume with a broad smile on his face, has earned among foreigners the sobriquet of the Laughing Buddha." We judge him as the embodiment of carnal virtues, yet in reality he is revered as the Saviour of the World 3,000 years hence.

The priest places his cup upside down and moves back to the main temple. The chanting has died to a droning mutter. At times the monks kneel, all bowing their heads to the ground; they are no longer individuals, all are merged into the symbol. He who holds the red drumstick, straight and firm, has long stiff fingers like the waxen petals of a strange flower, or the carved, formed hands of a wooden Buddha.

Now they form a long line, following one after the other, round behind the gods, now before the gods, now behind. The cloak of each swings out behind, a different brown. Again the bells tinkle, roll, the cymbals clang, the red fish shivers on its stand, its mouth ever gaping.

It Is Over

It is over. They hurry out, noiselessly. They who are guardians of the formulae by which the will of the spirits is revealed, priests of the most ancient religion of mankind, which survives everywhere, latent or visible. For the Buddhist, behind the flux of appearances, sees the reality that never changes, the mystery of that nothingness from which all things come, to which they return. He feels nothing real, everything illusory. Here have been found means of clothing these abstractions, of penetrating through the emotions as well as the reason into that world on which all worlds rest, to that Being of whom the nothing can be affirmed save that: spiritual elements and material it is.

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OUR PARIS LETTER

DAY—EVENING ENSEMBLES ARE THE LAST WORD

THE "Don't dress to-night" command is rolling up new followers every season, and this Autumn the number of day-evening ensembles shown by Paris reaches a fresh high for all time. Styles in the "don't dress" class have more and more the glamour of full evening fashions, though they may be as short and tailored as a suit to wear on the street on a frosty morning.

Embroideries done with sparkling beads and jewels, with spangles and with velvet, all glory touches on dresses and suits to wear informally during the coming winter evenings.

Princely velvets and satins compete with shining gold and silver cloth to make gorgeous raiment of the ensemble that you will be wearing this winter when you play.

Vionnet circles the slender waistlines of velvet and satin dresses for informal evening wear with belts and girdles crusted with heavy jewelled embroideries.

Schiaparelli embroiders black broadcloth cocktail suits with gold-spangled palm trees, or bands them with gold leather ribbon, tinted with bright coloured shading. Paquin covers entire bodices with brilliant heading in day length cocktail clothes. Mainbocher and Schiaparelli and Marcel Rochas make charming, simple dresses and coats, very tailored and short, of gorgeous laces in gold or silver with brilliant colour.

There is a real cult of broadcloth ensembles for informal evenings. Their dresses have low-cut bodices and tailored jackets trimmed with luxury fur,

garnished with scintillating embroideries, or otherwise touched with glory. These may be instep length or just the length you wear for daytime.

Launvin puts Egyptian embroideries in stained glass colours on a series of informal wool evening dresses.

The details that support the "don't dress" evening fashions are rich and striking. It will be chic to wear bright-coloured kid slippers with your dark cocktail clothes, and just as vivid gloves, studded with embroideries.

Velvet flowers in all the reds, from wine to scarlet, will make a bouquet to dramatise a simple dress for dining and the theatre. Jewelled bouquets—red stones, are pinned to lapels of velvet jackets.

Short coats of mink or silver fox will be the last syllable in chic wraps for such occasions. Long stoles of fox will be twined about the shoulders, of simple gold or silver suits or coats.

The hats that will be worn with informal evening and cocktail clothes tend to be high, though there is no law about it.

They will be trimmed with feathers, hung with veils and will go in for colour in a big way. Wide-brimmed hats with feather garlands will be new.

While black will continue to be the peerless favourite of many elegant women for cocktail and informal evening clothes, there will be much colour worn, and dark red, grape, amethyst, fuchsia, royal blue and violet will be just as chic as black.



COOKED BY STEAM

Raspberry Sponge

Take 4oz margarine, 2 eggs, 4oz castor sugar, 1 teaspoonful baking powder, 6oz flour, 1½ tablespoonfuls raspberry jam.

Put the margarine and sugar in a basin. Beat them together until they resemble whipped cream. On this thorough beating depends the lightness of the sponge. Beat the eggs and add these very slowly to the sugar and margarine, beating well between each addition. Mix the flour and the baking powder. Sift this into the mixture. Add the jam and beat very well. Turn into a greased basin or mould. Steam steadily for two hours. Serve with either custard or raspberry jam sauce.

Duchess Pudding

Take 4oz flour, 2 eggs, 4oz margarine or butter, 3oz castor sugar, 2oz glacé cherries, 1 teaspoonful baking powder, milk.

Well grease a pudding basin and decorate the bottom with a few glacé cherries cut into halves. If you find it difficult to make them adhere to the bottom of the basin, dip them in melted butter. Sieve the flour and baking powder. Beat the margarine and sugar to a cream. Cut the remainder of the cherries into small pieces. Separate the yolks

from the egg-whites. Whisk the egg-whites to a stiff froth. Add each yolk separately to the creamed sugar and margarine. Stir it in quickly and beat well before adding the next. When both are added, fold in the flour, baking powder, and cherries, together with about one tablespoonful of milk. Lastly add the egg-whites, stir them in lightly, and, when thoroughly mixed, put the mixture into the prepared basin, and cover with a thick piece of greased paper. Steam for about two hours, then turn carefully on to a hot dish and serve.

Family Pudding

Take 5oz flour, 3oz bread-crumbs, 5oz sugar, 4oz suet, 1 level teaspoonful mixed spice, 1½oz desiccated coconut, ½lb seeded raisins, 2oz candied peel, milk.

Chop the suet finely and mix it with the flour, spice, and breadcrumbs. Cut up the raisins and shred the peel, add these to the flour, etc., with the sugar and coconut. Mix the ingredients well and moisten them with milk as required. Turn the mixture into a greased basin. Cover it with a buttered paper and flour-ed pudding cloth, and steam it from two and a half to three hours.

have a kind of all-over pattern made of coarse thread.

In panel style which can be cut in sections to fit any width window, fish net is now available. Each section is about nine inches wide and one can buy all the way from one to 16 sections. This is advantageous for groups of windows where the middle one may be twice the width of the two side ones. In such a case the centre panel might be eight sections wide and the side ones only four, all matching.

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penetrate the room than is possible with the smaller mesh. Yet, the coarser nets are for more informal rooms and cannot be used so suitably with brocade hangings; they need printed linens, and rough weave materials for the draperies.

ON a windy day, place all silk stockings and other fragile articles in a pillow-case and peg it on the line. This will prevent delicate fabrics becoming twisted around the line and torn, and it will be found that they dry very quickly.

NET NOVELTIES FOR CURTAINS

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ARBITRATION POSSIBLE IN LILLE STRIKE

Paris, Yesterday.
Some 25,000 metal-workers in Lille struck to-day, demanding a 40-hour week and a 15 per cent. increase in wages. Should both sides accept arbitration the Government will intervene, in which case the Premier, M. Leon Blum, will take part in the negotiations, as he now also Minister of Interior owing to the death of M. Salengro.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

CONTEST FOR LADIES

Photographs With And Without Make-up
UNBELIEVABLE RESULTS

The China Mail is at present running a very novel competition in connection with their Thursday Supplement, and we are given to understand that it is proving very popular indeed among the ladies.

All the competitor has to do is to ring up D'Asia Studio for an appointment for a sitting. The lady will then be photographed normally and then, after being made-up by a Max Factor specialist, she will again be photographed. The difference in the two photographs is almost unbelievable!

The two photographs of each competitor will then be published in the Thursday Supplement and competent judges, whose names will be announced in the near future, will then decide the three best results. Valuable prizes are being awarded and would-be competitors are urged to make their appointments at an early date.

DYSENTERY OUTBREAK STATEMENT DEMANDED

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guarding the purity of the milk?

FURTHER QUESTIONS

Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto, pursuant to notice, will ask:—

"With reference to the present outbreak of dysentery in the Colony, will the Chairman please reply to the following questions:—

i. What is the total number of dysentery cases for the months of October and November this year as compared with the similar period last year?

ii. How many of the cases were of bacillary types and how many were amoebic?

(a) Of the bacillary types how many were due to Shiga's bacillus and how many to Flexner's?

iii. What is the incidence of the disease among:

(a) European adults

(b) Chinese adults

(c) European children

(d) Chinese children

iv. With a view to controlling such diseases of epidemic nature is it not advisable to make them notifiable?

v. Has the source of infection been traced to any article of food or drink? If so, will the Chairman give details of the origin of the epidemic?

vi. Does there exist a system for the regular bacteriological examination of the milk supply of the Colony similar to that adopted for the drinking water?

(a) If the answer is in the affirmative will the Chairman furnish particulars of the method of examination?

(b) If the answer is in the negative will the Government consider instituting such system immediately?

vii. What additional precautionary measures does the Government propose to take to prevent a repetition of such

M.C.C. FACE DEFEAT

LOSE 5 WICKETS
FOR 14 RUNS

CHIPPERFIELD IN
DEADLY MOOD

MANY LEAVE GROUND AFTER
BRADMAN'S DISMISSAL

Sydney, Yesterday.
A crowd of 35,000 saw the M.C.C. lose their five remaining first innings wickets for only 14 runs here to-day, the innings closing for 288, to which the Australian eleven replied with 221 for 2.

On a very dry and dusty wicket, A. G. Chipperfield caused havoc in the M.C.C. ranks, claiming 4 wickets for 9 runs this morning to dismiss the remaining English batsmen after only 27 minutes. His final analysis was:

O M R W

23.1 4 66 8

Leyland batted 156 minutes for his 80, which included five boundaries, while Robins whose fielding later on in the day was an inspiration, hit up 53 in 90 minutes, including six boundaries.

Given just under an hour before lunch, the Australian eleven had scored 37 without loss. Later they were 83 for 0, and at tea they were 153 for 1. Having advanced their total to 221 for 2, play was then abandoned owing to bad light.

Don Bradman revealed perfect footwork and timing during his innings for 63, which included eight boundaries and occupied 89 minutes. Together with Brown he added 103 for the second wicket.

Fingleton scored 66 in 99 minutes and Brown is 66 not out.

A great many people left the ground after Bradman's dismissal. Scores as cable by Reuter were: M.C.C.: 288 (Fagg 49, Ames 76, Leyland 80, R. W. Robins 53, A. G. Chipperfield 4 for 66). Australian XI: 221 for 2 (D. G. Bradman 63, J. H. Fingleton 56, W. A. Brown 66 not out).

McLARNIN BEATS AMBERS

New York, Yesterday.—Jimmy McLarnin, ex-welterweight boxing champion of the world, outpointed Lew Ambers, the lightweight champion, in a 10-round bout here last night at catchweights.—Reuter.

GEN. O'DUFFY SETS OUT FOR SPAIN

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In the Right-wing paper Figaro the diplomatic correspondent, Count d'Ormesson, takes strong exception to the rumour that France would lend support to the establishment of a Catalan Soviet republic. France, he says, would never recognise such a State or an accomplice to its establishment. Ever since this question was raised the Foreign Ministry had taken up a clear attitude and the authorities at Barcelona were deceiving themselves if they thought that they could rely on French help for their plans.

DURATTI KILLED

Paris, From Valencia comes the news that the well-known leader of the Iberian Anarchist Association, Senor Duratti, has been killed in the fighting in Madrid. The Valencia Government has sent a telegram and letter of condolence to the Iberian Anarchist Association and the Minister, Senor Garcia Oliver, will go to Madrid to attend his funeral as the representative of the Government and the Premier.—Trans-Ocean Service.

an outbreak of dysentery or other acute intestinal diseases?

In addition applications and the usual returns will also be considered.

ANGLO-ARGENTINE TRADE PACT

Agreement Expected To Be Signed Shortly

London, Yesterday.
The negotiations for the revision of the Anglo-Argentine trade agreement are now in the final stage, and agreement has been reached on most points. It is hoped that the new agreement will be signed very shortly, and in such a case it is intended that it shall be made retroactive to November 20, the date when the old agreement expired. For the present the "status quo" will be maintained.—British Wireless Service.

A TRIPARTITE ALLIANCE?

Britain, Turkey And Greece

TO KEEP PEACE OF EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

London, Yesterday.
An alliance between Britain, Turkey and Greece, with a view to the preservation of peace in the Eastern Mediterranean, is fore-announced by the Daily Telegraph's Malta correspondent, as a result of the visit of the Turkish fleet to that island.

The correspondent points out in this connection that part of the Turkish fleet will visit a Greek port on its way home, and that a Greek naval squadron is awaited at Malta at the beginning of December.

An extensive programme of festivities in honour of the Turkish visitors has been arranged by the naval authorities in Malta.—Trans-Ocean Service.

POISON-GAS CORPS SENT TO SUYUAN

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and 80,000 Central troops at present in Honan Province have received instructions from the Generalissimo to despatch units to guard the Peiping-Suiyuan Line and to suppress the bandits on the Suiyuan frontiers in conjunction with the other Government troops there. General Sung has also been instructed to lodge a protest against the installation of military telephones at Peiping by the foreign military authorities.

NORTHERN PROVINCES

As for the position of the five Northern Provinces of Hopei, Shantung, Shansi, Chahar and Suiyuan, which are threatened with conversion into a buffer zone, the Generalissimo definitely assured General Han Fu-chu, Chairman of the Shantung Provincial Government during his recent visit to Tsinan, the capital of Shantung, on Thursday, that the Central Government has already mobilised 300,000 soldiers, besides those in the different provinces, who can be called on at any moment to engage the foreign invaders.

RAILWAY BOMBED

Peiping: Aircraft from Chahar bombed the Suiyuan railway between Fengchen and Pingtichuan, damaging a bridge and delaying the Peiping-bound express for four hours, according to Chinese reports from Kalgan.

Further fighting occurred on the Suiyuan-Chahar border yesterday, when the Chinese troops repulsed four attacks by the Chahar forces.

General Fu Tao-yi has returned to Kweihua, where he was given a warm reception by the people.

The possibility of a counter-offensive aimed at Changtu and Chahar is being discussed in Kweihua, following the arrival of reinforcements.—Reuter.

LEEDS WIN AWAY

ARSENAL BACK
TO FORM

POMPEY LOSE AT
GOODISON PARK

CHARLTON TROUNCED AT
WOLVERHAMPTON

London, Yesterday.

The following are the results of to-day's major League football matches:

FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal	5	Middlesboro'	3
Bolton	0	Manchester C.	2
Brentford	2	West. Brom.	1
Derby	3	Grimsby	1
Everton	4	Portsmouth	0
Huddersfield	4	Chelsea	2
Manchester U.	2	Liverpool	5
Preston	2	Birmingham	2
Wednesday	1	Leeds	2
Sunderland	3	Stoke	0
Wolves	6	Charlton	1

SECOND DIVISION

A. Villa	2	Blackburn	2
Bradford C.	0	Bury	1
Burnley	3	Norwich	0
Chesterfield	0	Blackpool	4
Coventry	3	Barnsley	0
Doncaster	1	Bradford	3
Fulham	3	Newcastle	4
*Notts F.		Tottenham	
Plymouth	2	Sheffield U.	0
Southampton	0	West Ham	3
Swansea	1	Leicester	3

* postponed owing to fog.

THIRD DIVISION (South)

Aldershot	1	Clapton	1
Bournemouth	0	Exeter	0
Brighton	1	Reading	1
Bristol R.	5	Cardiff	0
Gillingham	3	Notts C.	0
Millwall	0	Luton	1
Newport	1	Torquay	1
Northampton	2	Crystal P.	0
Southend	3	Bristol C.	0
Swindon	3	Walsall	0
Watford	2	Queens' P.R.	0

THIRD DIVISION (North)

Accrington	2	Chester	1
Darlington	5	Hartlepool	5
Gateshead	1	Carlisle	0
Hull	1	York	3
Lincoln	6	Rochdale	1
N. Brighton	1	Barrow	1
Oldham	1	Crewe	0
Port Vale	5	Mansfield	0
Rotherham	6	Hullfax	0
Stockport	5	Tranmere	0
Wrexham	3	Southport	3

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Aberdeen	3	Clyde	0
Celtic	6	Third Lanark	3
Dunfermline	1	Partick	1
Falkirk	5	Dundee	0
Hamilton	2	Albion	3
Hibernian	4	Arbroath	1
Queen O'S	1	Kilmarnock	0
Queen's Pk.	0	Hearts	2
Rangers	0	St. Johnstone	0
St. Mirren	3	Motherwell	0

SECOND DIVISION

Airdrie	2	Leith	1
Ayr	8	Stenhousemuir	3
Cowdenbeath	0	Morton	0
Dundee	2	Edinburgh	2
Forfar	3	East Fife	0
King's Park	1	Dumbarton	1
Montrose	2	East Stirling	1
Raith	4	Alloa	0
St. Bernard's	6	Brechin	0

—Reuter.

[No correction had been received up to 3.15 a.m.—Ed.]

H.M. THE KING'S MOVEMENTS

Surprise Visit To Exhibition

London, Yesterday.

H.M. the King paid a surprise visit yesterday afternoon to the exhibition and sales of work by war-disabled men at the Imperial Institute, South Kensington.

The plans for the King's visit to South Staffordshire and Birmingham on December 9 and 10 are now almost complete. He will inspect the works of the various industries in the areas where, in striking contrast to South Wales, unemployment is at its lowest for years and industry is thriving.—British Wireless Service.

LONDON SILVER MARKET

Prices Advance

London, Last Night.

London silver prices to-day were up 3/18 as follows:—

	Nov. 20	Nov. 21
Spot	21	21-3/16
Forward	21	21-3/16

—Our own correspondent.

ALL SET FOR NEW DEAL

Business Support For Roosevelt

CO-OPERATION PROMISED

Washington, Yesterday.

Circumstances are daily becoming more propitious for President Roosevelt's second instalment of the New Deal philosophy, as proved by the recent epidemic of wage increases and wholehearted expressions of co-operation by business leaders like Mr. Winthrop Aldrich, who told the New York Chamber of Commerce to expect further business regulation on behalf of social betterment and that they should do everything to assist, as such measures were wisely calculated to achieve their objectives.

Mr. P. Harrison, Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, has given a public assurance that no new taxes are intended. The administration aims at balancing the budget as speedily as possible by means of increased yields from existing taxes due to the progress of recovery, while Congress would devote its attention to economy and resist the efforts to establish new Governmental bureaus.

The Government financial agencies are watching the Stock Exchange boom closely and have drafted regulations to tighten up the budget as speedily as possible by means of increased yields from existing taxes due to the progress of recovery, while Congress would devote its attention to economy and resist the efforts to establish new Governmental bureaus.

It is reported that Italy has tentatively broached the question of settling her debt, with the object of launching a loan in the United States. Britain and France are also preparing to embark on negotiations, though it is officially denied that any of these countries have yet taken formal steps.—Reuter.

DANCE CARNIVAL A SUCCESS

The dance carnival held at Hotel Cecil last night, under the auspices of the Health and Strength League in aid of the King George V Memorial Fund was well attended, among those present being Lieut. Harris, Lieut. Lincoln, Lieut. F. Donlea and Lieut. Otway.

COMMUNISM IN BULGARIA

Sofia, Yesterday. — The mass trial opened to-day of 47 persons charged with the formation of an illegal Communist band in a village south of the capital. Thirty-nine witnesses are to be called by the prosecution. It is stated that 10 rifles, bombs and a number of revolvers, together with seditious literature, were found at the headquarters of the band. The trial is expected to last 10 days.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

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